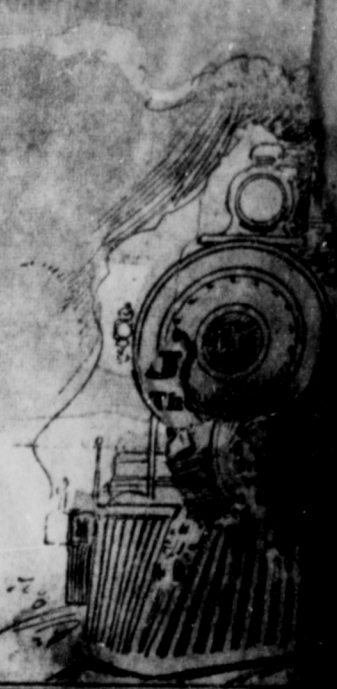


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## CASSATT RAILROAD MONARCH

THE Maryland-Virginia peninsula and the eastern part of Maryland have always been garden sections, their vegetables and fruits going to meet the demands of the New York, Philadelphia and Boston markets.

Thirty years and more ago the problem of how to get the products of these regions to market quickly became exceedingly acute. At that time the method followed was to transport the food stuffs to Baltimore, or some other port on the Chesapeake, and thence despatch them north by rail. This was a slow and roundabout method, to say the least, and as a result none of the fruits and vegetables got to market in the first blush of ripeness, and more than one cargo spoiled daily. Norfolk was the natural forwarding point for quick service, but it was across the Chesapeake from the market cities, and to skirt the Bay meant loss of valuable time.

As for the peninsula, railroad communication ceased on its border at Delmar, on the Maryland-Delaware line. From Delmar to Cape Charles, at the tip of the peninsula, the distance is ninety miles. The hard, practical problem before the modern authorities in transportation matters—the railroad men—was how to tap both regions in one and the same way for quick handling of their products.

One day, less than twenty-five years ago, a man who had retired from active railroad management but a few weeks before, presented himself to a friend, the late William L. Scott, and said:

"Let's build a railroad from Delmar to Cape Charles and connect with Norfolk and Portsmouth by boat."

"Very good," replied Mr. Scott; "but how will you transfer your freight across Chesapeake Bay expeditiously?"

"We will build powerful and fast transfer tugs that will transfer loaded cars across the bay," was the answer.

"But the distance is thirty-six miles, and the bay at times is rougher than the English Channel," objected Mr. Scott.

"We can build the boats strong enough and equip them with engines of sufficient power to make the run in three days," was the confident rejoinder.

The upshot of the matter was that Mr. Scott became speedily convinced of the feasibility of the scheme, and with money from his private bank account and that of the plan's promoter, the New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk Railroad, he built.

The other man—he who thought out the way to put fruit, picked the afternoon in Virginia, on the breakfast tables of New Yorkers—was A. J. Cassatt, President of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Like other railroad men, Mr. Cassatt realized that the ideal route for quick service lay over the waters of the Chesapeake Bay from Norfolk, and thence up the peninsula by rail to the cities to the north.

But, unlike his brethren, he did not talk at the thought that such a long service had never been undertaken.

When he found himself at command, he set about designing that would perform this difficult service, and when he felt that he had secured the right sort of design, he called for an interview with Mr. Scott.

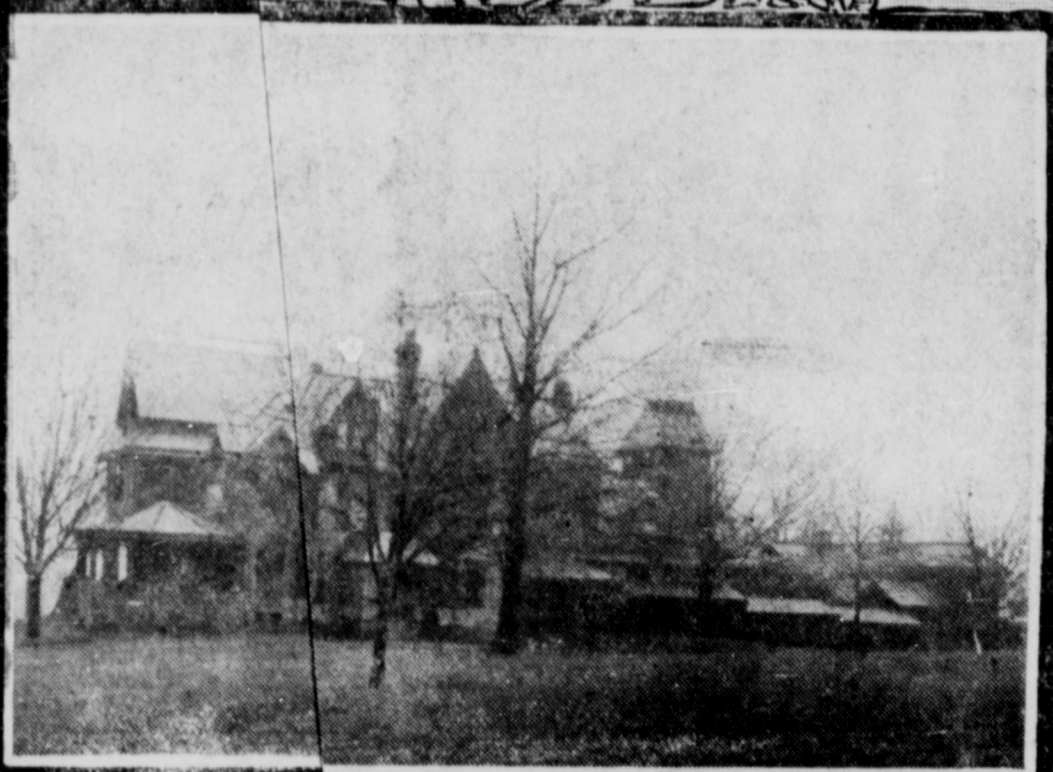
It is to say that these boats have carried the "Berry Express" across Chesapeake Bay ever since, with remarkable promptness, and that the same system is in operation on Lake Baikal.



ALEXANDER JOHNSTON CASSATT



MRS. A.J. CASSATT IN CENTRE, MISS ROOSEVELT (MRS. LONG) ON HER RIGHT, AND MR. CASSATT OVER THE SHOULDER OF HIS WIFE



MR. CASSATT'S COUNTRY SEAT, ON MAIN LINE.

in connection with the Trans-Siberian Railway, and on the Great Lakes as well.

GETTING CONTROL OF A RAILROAD. The highly dramatic manner in which Mr. Cassatt secured control of the Philadelphia, Washington & Baltimore railroad—sometime since renamed the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington—is further illustrative of the characteristic of boldness that has marked his railroad career almost from its beginning.

In 1872 the P. W. & B. was owned by a group of New England capitalists and was operated by them in the interests of the Pennsylvania. Robert Garrett, then the big man of the Baltimore & Ohio, coveted the road as a means of reaching New York, and quietly set agents to work to purchase a controlling interest in the property. So great was his jubilation when he became convinced that this had been done that he boastfully announced one morning to Mr. George B. Roberts, of the Pennsylvania, what he had accomplished, adding: "We are not disposed, however, to disturb your relations with the property, and you need not give yourself any uneasiness on that score."

In the small hours of the following morning the directors of the Pennsylvania railroad, called in hurried meeting in New York City, heard from Mr. Cassatt that the P. W. & B. was their property and not Mr. Garrett's. He had discovered, in the few hours that had elapsed since Mr. Garrett's boast, that that usually shrewd gentleman had overlooked a certain block of stock, on the possession of which control of the road hinged. This he had bought—and Mr. Garrett was nursing a delusive victory. Then and there a check for this stock, in amount \$14,949,052.20, changed hands. It remained for several years the largest check ever drawn in a single financial transaction. Whenever Mr. Cassatt walks into the treasury of the Pennsylvania, all he has to do to see the check is to cast his eyes towards a certain wall of the treasury, where it has hung since it served its purpose.

In the soft coal investigation before the Interstate Commerce Commission

much interest has been taken by the public in the so-called community of interests scheme entered into by the Pennsylvania and the New York Central for the regulation of traffic. This is another bold bit of original railroading by Mr. Cassatt.

When he became President of the Pennsylvania in 1899, following the death of Frank Thomson, the eastern railroads were cutting one another's and their own throats in a wild war for freight traffic. This was especially true as regards the coal business. A traffic association, formed by the railroads to put a stop to the warfare, having been declared illegal by the courts and subsequently dissolved, all the railroads in question were at a loss for a way in which to end the suicidal struggle.

remained for Mr. Cassatt to find a dominating interest roads, was his plan. He then agreed with the New York Central for them to dominate the properties; the Pennsylvania to be the same by its rival soft coal of both and all. Thus, the P. W. & B., the Chesapeake & the Norfolk & Western came under the office of Alexander Johnston Cassatt. Later the Pennsylvania secured domination over the Philadelphia & Reading, a hard coal line. The Central agreed to this, and the Reading is more a rival of the Pennsylvania than of the Central. The lines, the Pittsburgh, Fort

Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis complete the list of properties dominated by the Pennsylvania under this community of interests plan. The Long Island railroad, properly speaking, is not dominated; it is owned outright, a majority of the stock being in the Pennsylvania's strong boxes. Mr. Cassatt purchased the road to insure, for all time, ample docking facilities on the Atlantic to the Pennsylvania.

"During Mr. Cassatt's regime the Pennsylvania's holdings in other roads has increased enormously, reaching the grand total of more than \$331,000,000, par value. The cost of all this was about \$24,000,000 less.

By direction of Mr. Cassatt the Pennsylvania has undertaken to get into New York City and out of it through tun-

nels under two rivers and the city itself. More, it is going into New England by an all-rail route. He instituted the plan, now widely spread among our railroads, of retiring and pensioning all employees when the age of seventy is reached. He secured control of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, and the railroad thus became the maker of its own steel rails. He has pushed almost to completion the four-tracking of the Pennsylvania all the way from Philadelphia to Pittsburgh, despite the fact that west of Harrisburg this has required entire mountains to be removed. He has poured out other millions of money for rolling stock; when he gave the word work was begun on the new Union station now nearing completion in Washington; his whole course as President of the Pennsylvania has been diametrically opposite to the traditional one for a Pennsylvania president. From being the most conservative of American roads, under him the Pennsylvania has become what may be termed radical, for want of a better word. And yet, for all this overturning of old, settled policies, public confidence in the road remains unshaken and every loan that its asks for in order to carry on its vast improvements is snatched up with avidity here and abroad. A loan of fifty million dollars was recently placed in France.

HARD WORK WON HIS SUCCESS.

Mr. Cassatt began his career with the Pennsylvania as roadman. That was in the opening year of the Civil War. After two years of tramping over a goodly portion of Central Pennsylvania he was assigned to the engineering corps, and as an assistant engineer helped to build the Connecting Railway, linking the Pennsylvania to the Philadelphia & Trenton. Here he attracted the attention of his superiors, and in 1864, when the Pennsylvania got control of the Philadelphia & Erie, was transferred to Renovo as resident engineer of the middle division. Next, he was superintendent, for a short time, of a subsidiary road, the Warren & Franklin. In April of 1866 he was transferred to Williamsport, with the title of Superintendent of Motive Power and Machinery of the Philadel-

phia & Erie Railroad. Later he was given a position in the Pennsylvania, with Altoona. Less than two years after this he was made superintendent of the road, and a year later, following the United Railroads of Pennsylvania lines east, he was the first to hold such he was stationed at the home of the Pennsylvania first time.

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In July of 1874, on the part J. Edgar Thomson his reward in promotion president. Six years later Thomas A. Scott, the roadman, under whom trained, retired from the First Vice-president's office succeeded him, Mr. Cassatt remained until September he resigned. He set of resignation:

"My only object in to have more time at any one occupying so position in railroad management. If I were to railroad life, I could not more agreeable to me now occupy, nor would connect myself with any than the one in whose service twenty-one years of my passed."

MODEL FARMER AND

Mr. Cassatt was formerly retired. He was in his 80s when he again took up active



# BACHELOR GIRLS FARMING IT.

An Experiment on One of the Berkshire Hills.

They are Trying if They Can Live From the Proceeds of Two Acres—Most of the Work They Will Do Themselves—The Eyes of Men Farmers to Be Opened.

TWO bachelor girls of New York and their mother have started an experiment this summer to see if they can actually live from the proceeds of two acres of land. The land is situated on one of the Berkshire hills, near the village of Terryville, not far from Waterbury, Conn. Last summer was the first they spent there, and they sold fifty dollars' worth of garden truck, besides supplying their own table.

This spring they started early. They have ploughed and planted the whole two acres, half of it to potatoes. They expect to have five hundred bushels of potatoes. They also planted a few rows of corn, and they went to Blaethem for one dollar a year \$250 or \$300 from are now selling hotbed plants raised under cheesecloth from seeds planted in April.

The other acre will include a big vegetable garden, a strawberry bed and a scrap of pasture for the horse. Eventually they will have a greenhouse. They keep hens enough to supply their own table. They hired a man to do the plowing and hoe the potatoes. The rest they expect to do themselves.

"I believe," said one of them, "that a great source of modest prosperity is being wasted by the absence of market gardening in the neighborhood of the smaller places. Terryville has about 1,800 inhabitants. There is one factory there.

"Before that came it was a farming village. The farms are all there yet, but the farmers are all working in the factory. There are no vegetable gardens in that village and no market gardens around it.

"They raise nothing on their farms but hay. They will take a vacation in the summer and go and do their haying, or they will hire a man to do it for them; but as they do nothing for the land the hay crop gets poorer every year.

"At Terryville and Waterbury all the garden truck comes in from New York, and is, of course, expensive and not fresh. With great stretches of uncultivated land all around, the people eat canned vegetables. There is some market gardening around Hartford, but there, too, supplies are drawn from New York. It is so all through that region and other regions like it.

"Now, I don't blame a man who has always lived on a farm and farmed in the old-fashioned, unscientific way for wanting to get into town and go to work in a mill. It is another stage in his evolution. But it leaves an opportunity for the scientific farmer, the educated farmer who farms with brains.

"That sort of person is one who has got done with cities, who has been through the mill, who has had enough, and longs to get out of the treadmill of city life. Such a person finds interest and fascination in the life which the owner of the place abandoned to go to work in a woolen mill. I believe that all the small farming of the East, which is practically only market gardening and raising of specialties is going to pass into the hands of this class.

"I believe that every year will see more and more educated young men and women turning to scientific farming for a living. That sort of farmer will demand more than the old fashioned one. Books, newspapers, periodicals, a bathtub and an occasional trip to the city will be necessities to him.

"He will make them possible by his better methods, both of cultivating and of marketing. He will raise high-grade specialties—fruit, butter, mushrooms, violets—all sorts of things, and ship them straight to customers. He won't have very much money, but he will have as much at the end of the year as he had on his salary in the city. He will be free from the strain and grind of city life; he won't be afraid of being fired at forty, and he will be his own boss."

Two New Lincoln Stories.

It is related that at one time President Lincoln was conversing with an aristocratic American lady about the United States, when she remarked: "I love my country, of course, but am much grieved that there are so many common people in it." He replied: "But, madam, think how God must have loved them, he made so many of them."

A soldier at whose house when a boy Lincoln passed in his tramps in Illinois, and who loaned him a whetstone to sharpen his jackknife, met him during the war, in Washington. Lincoln remembered the incident, and spoke of the use of the whetstone.

"Ya-a-s," drawled out the old soldier. "Whatever did you do with the whetstone? I never could find it. We 'lowed mebbe you took it along with you." "No—no. I put it on top of the gatepost—that high one." "Mebbe you did; nobody else could have reached it, and none of us ever thought to look there for it." There it was found where it was placed fifteen years before. The soldier reported the fact to the President.

Facts. Drawn into wire so fine only weigh one grain. Number of lighthouses in the States at number, between 670 sharks can swim at a miles an hour. A whale fifteen-mile rate for a usually goes about six

# FADS AND FANCIES.

The Week's Review of Newest Fashions for Which our Readers May Obtain Patterns—Work that Any Home Dressmaker Can Easily Do.

By MINNA S. CRAWFORD.

It is the editor's desire to make our Pictorial Color Magazine Section of interest to every member of the family, and we shall aim to make the department devoted to woman's interests the most helpful, valuable and attractive feature of the paper.

With this in view we have arranged with the foremost fashion authorities of Paris and New York for weekly advices of the very newest dress ideas as fast as they appear; and in order to make these fashion descriptions and illustrations of the utmost value to our readers, we have also arranged a special fashion service whereby those who may desire these exclusive styles may secure patterns of them direct from our New York fashion correspondent.

In the fashionable woman's wardrobe nothing can supplant the lingerie blouse. The one pictured in illustration No. 2021 comes to use direct from that fountain head of the beautiful in dress, Paris. It is shown as part of a white Persian Lawn costume, is extremely dressy in effect, yet built upon lines so artistically simple that the veriest tyro of a home dressmaker can achieve it.

Our readers may obtain any of these patterns without delay by enclosing fifteen cents for each pattern desired, together with number of pattern and size required, and mailing direct to FASHION CORRESPONDENT, 6032 Metropolitan Bldg., New York City. Be careful to give correct size of pattern.

HUNTERS FEAR TEXAS HAVALENES.

OF the abundant game in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas there is lested by hunters, and that is one species which is never more the "havalene," which is the local name for the peccary. The havalene has tusks three or four inches long, which he is always ready and even eager to use on any creature he deems objectionable. If he is wounded he sets up a cry of distress which is instantly answered by every one of his species within hearing. The only thing for the hunter to do under such circumstances is to climb a tree. If there are no trees handy, and

The yoke as pictured is of all-over lace in an Irish Crochet pattern. These yokes are to be had ready-made in the shops. If preferred, the yoke may be made of strips of lace or of alternating embroidery and lace, or the yoke may be omitted altogether and a trimming of medallions substituted, as the pattern is cut high-necked and perforated for the yoke. Sizes are 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40 inches bust.

The Skirt No. 2022 is also charmingly simple, although it suggests a very elaborate effect. It is a one-piece tucked model lengthened by a tucked flounce, and is a pretty style for taffeta and foulard as well as for lawn and wash fabrics. Sizes are 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30 inches waist.

he is a wise hunter, he will not ture a shot at a havalene. All tempts to hunt havalenes with dogs in disaster, for the animals travel small droves, and they will turn on dogs and rip them to pieces in order. Havalenes when full grown three and a half to four feet long, weigh 125 to 150 pounds. They long, thick, dark gray hair. The semble a pig, but have small ears, feet, and are trim and neat. A of captive havalenes beside the at Kingsville, Texas, attract a great of attention from travelers. The very tame and like to be petted scratched, but are rather too resent fancied affronts to be as pets.

A Remarkable Echo President Murphy, of the Clifton League Club, told at a dinner a remarkable echo story: "There's a remarkable echo if you stand under that rock pit, the echo answers four distinct, with an interval of several between answers."

But the visitor was not impressed. He said, with a look: "You ought to hear the place at Sunapee. Before gbed at night I stick my head out window and shout, 'Time to William' and the echo waked at seven o'clock sharp the next."

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knows no abatement. Indeed, it has taken a new lease of life in the Pony-bolero coat No. 1982, which, made in Taffeta silk, or in Panama cloth, either as part of a costume or as a separate garment, forms an indispensable article of woman's wardrobe this summer. The beautiful model here shown has the modish fitted vest and elbow length sleeves.

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## SPUR-THRUST.

BY KENNETH BROWN

THROUGH the half open door, Donald Michener heard her plainly speaking to her father: "Will you tell Mr. Michener that I do not care to see him, and that I do not care to have him call on me again."

"But, Christine," her father protested doubtfully, "I can't carry a message like that unless the man's insulted you—and then," he ended grimly, "I should carry more than a message."

Mr. Michener appeared in the doorway. Mr. Laing started toward him. It was from her father Christine got her temper; but she stepped resolutely between them. "He isn't worth it, father," she said, turning her back on Michener.

Michener was sorry. He walked out of the room in such a cold rage, murder would not have abated it. When the primal man is accused he would as lief fight his host in his own house as any one else. Rage and mortification so filled his heart that he had no room for grief, though he had lost the girl he had tried long to win. And the injustice of it! For it was unjust, the measure of punishment meted out to him.

The next day Christine went riding with Kerningham. She was in a bad humor. She was angry with herself for the way she had treated Donald Michener; she was more angry at him, because of the way she had treated him; and she was most angry at Kerningham for daring to ride beside her in Michener's place and to put in his smug remarks when she was not in the humor for smug remarks. In passing it may be said that an unprejudiced person would not have called Kerningham's remarks any smugger than Michener's. Indeed, they were probably the more sensible of the two, at least when talking to Christine. Unfortunately, no prejudiced person was judge, and Mr. Kerningham's sentence was all ready to be pronounced should a suitable occasion arise.

But no suitable occasion arose. Christine smiled; Christine was sarcastic; Christine was rude; Kerningham was imperturbably polite and good-natured.

"Are you tired to-day?" Kerningham asked, after an unusually snappish speech of the lady's.

"Riding never makes me tired," she answered curtly.

"It might be the company," he ventured.

"Haven't I been perfectly polite? How dare you say that?"

"I thought perhaps the contrast between your humble servant and your usual cavalier might have something to do with it," he went on placidly.

"I suppose you mean Mr. Michener. I certainly am not longing for him. I hate him!" she blazed. "I shall never speak to him again!"

"Indeed! He is more fortunate than I had supposed."

It was Kerningham's one reprisal of the afternoon.

"Oh, I'm tired of riding so slowly!" Christine cried.

"Let us ride faster, then."

Almost at the first word Christine thrust her spur into her horse's side, and the last Kerningham slapped his horse with his crop to try to catch up with her. It was not very dignified, this tearing

along the road at a breakneck speed, particularly with the girl two lengths ahead, her horse showering him with gravel and dirt at every jump and gradually drawing farther away. Kerningham swore a little swear to himself which, considering his good nature all through the ride, was no more than his due, and cracked his horse again with his crop.

Michener, out riding by himself, heard theoplan of horses' hoofs far down the road and looked back. His ride had not been a pleasant one either. He was on a half-broken thoroughbred and his temper was not in the elastic state that it should have been for training a high-strung filly.

At the sound of horses running behind him, Michener looked around and saw a girl on a black horse flying up the street, her escort tearing along behind her.

As the running black came abreast of Michener his heart seemed to stop still for a moment as he saw that the girl was Christine. Then he froze into resentment again as he noticed that she sat perfectly collectedly on the horse and appealed to him in no way. As a matter of fact, she had not in the least lost control of her horse and was only working off her temper in this way.

Michener's thoroughbred, with her long stride, easily kept pace with the clattering run of the round little black Christine was on.

"I beg your pardon," Michener said, as stiffly as the circumstances permitted, "but is your horse running away?" He tried to raise his hat formally, but it blew off before he reached the brim.

Christine gave him a side-glance. "Yes," she answered; "stop him for me."

She dropped the reins and dug her spur into her horse's flank, prodding him viciously.

The horse sprang more madly forward.

Michener was obliged to spur his own mare to keep up with the other's sudden jump. Then he had to use both hands to keep his filly, her racing blood aflame, from running away from Christine's poor little comestoga. He soon had his hand on Christine's reins, however, and strove, first by steady pulling, and then by jerking, to slow her horse down, at the same time trying with his right hand to restrain his own filly so that she would act as a drag on the other.

Suddenly, as the two leaders swept around a slight bend in the road, they saw beneath a railroad trestle three hundred yards ahead, two four-horse teams, stopped for a friendly chat, completely blocking the road. Both riders realized the danger instantly. Christine reached for the reins she had dropped and began

sawing her horse's mouth as hard as she could, but she was a little frightened and forgot to take her spur from the black's flank. Michener glanced at the two sides of the road. There was barbed wire on the right, and a paling fence on the left—no escape on either side, and the deliberate teamsters only gathering up their reins to move out of the way.

Michener moved his left hand up the reins of Christine's horse till he got a firm hold of the rings of the snaffle. Then kicking his feet out of his stirrups, he dropped his own reins, leaped over

and caught the horse's nostrils in his right hand, and then threw himself off his horse, relieved of his weight, flew head, shield as she saw the teams, then with a beautiful oblique jump landed the barbed wire on across country.

Christine's made one terrible plunge and fell when Michener swung from saddle, then, with his desperate grip on his nose, and im-

gradually slackened the weight at his head, as Michener's speed, so that when he struck the leaders of the team headed in them, though horse and girl went down in a heap, there was no damage done.

Michener had then knocked out of him, and could gasp wildly for breath, while Christine picked herself up, laughing heartily, caught her

she spoke more to him than to Michener during the first part of the meal. At last, when all the others were busy talking, she turned to him, and said in the undertone, which itself is a compliment. "Did you find your mare all right yesterday?"

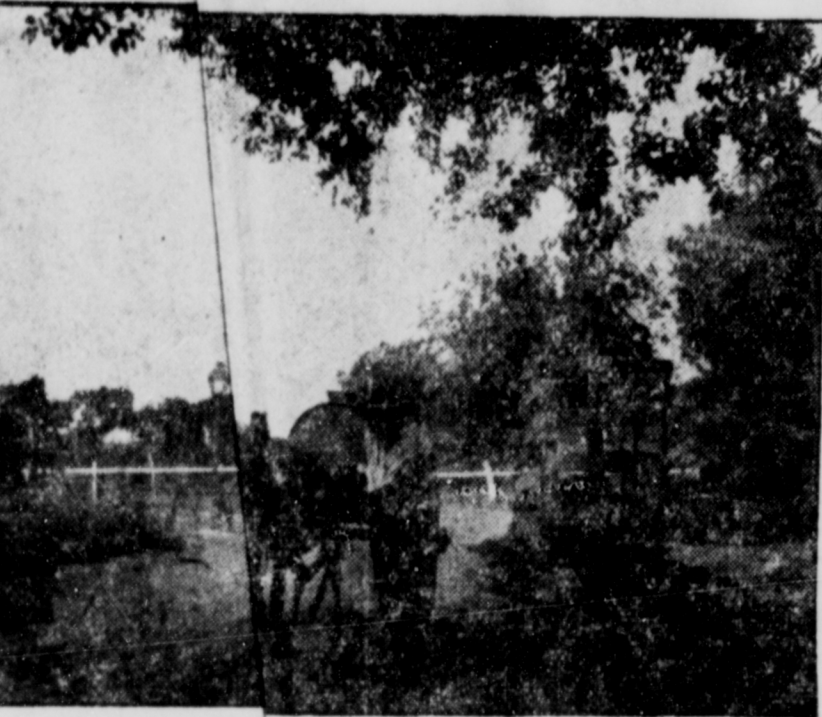
"Yes," he answered.

"And will you let me ride her some day?"

"In order that you may run away from me, as you did from Kerningham?" Michener asked. "She's a little wild, and I don't believe she would be quite safe for you. She got the idea yesterday that she had thrown me and was boss of the ranch, and that makes a thoroughbred rather flighty."

Christine cast down her eyes. "I thought I saw you ahead yesterday, and I wanted to speak to you. That's why I made my horse run."

## BROWVILLE'S QUEER WATER WORKS.



BROWVILLE, the polis of Southwest Texas, of the most picturesque in the country. Being just the Rio Grande from Mexico, at its 7,000 inhabitants, there is a queer admixture of characteristics of both nations. The town has no waterworks and no wells. A water used is drawn from the river.

mounted on wheels and hauled by burros. A constant procession of these water carts is to be seen at all hours of the day in the streets. The price of water is twenty-five cents, Mexican, or twelve and one-half cents "currency" a barrel. Brownville is largely owned by James Stillman, president of the National City Bank of New York, whose father laid out and owned the town site in 1849.

horse, which had scrambled feet and stood trembling like a leaf.

Kerningham came up, saw his reins, his horse bounding along stiff forelegs stuck out to stop him.

"Wasn't it great?" Christine, half laughing, half sobbing. "I turning my horse all the time Mr. Michener was tugging at his head."

The next day Michener was in his office, still feeling the lassitude comes after great excitement, Mr. Laing came in. Both flushed a little, remembering their last interview, the younger man interrupted the words of gratitude before they were spoken. "Oh, it wasn't anything," said, with embarrassment. "I didn't know it was Miss Laing at the words did not sound gracious. Michener only wanted to make Laing feel under as little obligation as possible. They talked for a minutes on indifferent subjects, and Mr. Laing said, after an apology: "Do give me a little one, some time when I'm ready for it. Donald snatched that one quite unfairly," he pleaded.

"You'll have to look out for your regular," Michener answered, "don't do it before this little episode, and it really isn't any reason for asking me."

"I know exactly how you feel," Mr. Laing said. "But—but to tell you the truth," he went on, a little helplessly, "Christine told me not to come home without your promise to come, and I really haven't the nerve to go back without it. You wouldn't like to make me a homeless wanderer at my age, would you?"

Michener laughed. "If you put it away I can hardly refuse." Having Christine's life, he could hardly do a favor.

Michener dressed for the dinner night without any pleasurable anticipation. He still had the apathy that follows great physical strain. He was rather surprised when he arrived at the Laing's house to find that a number of other persons had been asked, and comforted himself with the thought that there would perhaps be less embarrassment in the larger number. To his considerable annoyance, his exploit was generally referred to, although Christine herself did not speak of it.

"My! how grand it is to know a hero!" little Miss King cried, rushing up to him after he had moved away from Christine. "Was that really all true they put in the paper?"

Christine came up to them. "You are to take me into dinner," she said to Michener, "unless you think you've more than done your duty by me already and would rather take Miss King."

"No," piped Miss King. "The poor man shan't be obliged to snub me. Mr. Kerningham, you take me in—since I can't have the hero."

Kerningham sat on Christine's left, and

ing that the said details were not supplied to the press by the hero himself, but by another. I have this on the authority of Mr. Kerningham."

Christine stopped a minute and her guests laughingly applauded her. She hesitated an instant and glanced down at Michener. The color left her face as she went on, the note of railery gone from her voice:

"Two days ago I was very rude to Mr. Michener. I want to ask his forgiveness, and—"

"a wave of color swept over her face, to announce our engagement, if"—she turned toward him with a little appealing gesture of her hands—"if he will have me."

## Why the Bear Can't Take Off His Coat.

The inspector asked the boys of the school he was examining: "Can you take your warm overcoat off?"

"Yes, sir," was the response. "Can the bear take his warm overcoat off?" "No, sir." "Why not?"

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Mr. S. D. Shaw and son Collins Shaw of near Futrell's were here last Thursday and Friday. Mr. Shaw tells us of quite an interesting find he made recently. A year or so ago he bought a farm from Mr. Robert Snider, of that community. On the farm was an old well which had not been in use for the last sixteen years, so those familiar with the box claimed. The walls of the well had decayed and fallen in, until the well was eight or ten feet across at the top.

A short time ago Mr. Shaw secured some help and went to work to clean the well out and prepare it for use again. In the bottom of the well under several feet of dirt that had fallen in on top of it was found a pitcher, with a ball of butter in it and an old pan turned over the top of it. The butter was of a dry, crumbly nature resembling somewhat dry putty.

This pitcher and butter had evidently been in the old well for at least sixteen years, or more, as it had not been in use for that length of time. This is probably the oldest ball of butter now in existence. --Exchange.

### Sad Accident Near Dawson

Quite a distressing accident happened near Dawson Springs in Caldwell county, Friday morning. Miss Anna Hicks, a neighbor, was visiting at the home of Mr. Morris, and in some way that has not yet become known a shotgun was accidentally discharged by Bass Morris, a nine year old boy, the charge taking effect in Miss Hicks' left arm, shattering it to such an extent that amputation became necessary.

### New Railroad for Webster

Seabree, Ky., July 28.—The proposed new railroad from Greenwood to Dixon on via Seabree is almost a certainty, the donation of \$7,000 asked by the promoters being practically provided for. The building of this railroad is practically an extension of the Illinois Central in the direction of Owensboro. It is now believed here that the preliminary survey will be made within the next ten days and that the grading will begin in less than sixty days.

### Deeds Recorded.

J. A. Thomas and wife to R. L. Hodge, 93 acres on Hurricane creek, \$900.

T. F. Harris to J. W. Shaffer, 77 acres on Ohio river, \$700.

J. E. Travis to A. A. Deboe, 5 acres on Piney creek, \$600.

D. C. Roberts to Harry Watkins, lot in Reed addition, \$50.

Bettis and Grubbs to D. J. Bettis, interest in Tolu mill, \$600.

Matthew Brantley to J. R. Brantley, tract of land in Crittenden county, care and attention.

B. J. Bettis to E. F. Smith, interest in Tolu mill, \$600.



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## MADAME JUSSERAND.

### AMERICAN GIRL WHO MARRIED A FRENCHMAN, NOW IN DIPLOMATIC SWIM.

French Ambassador at Washington Given Position Largely on Account of Wife's Nativty-New Embassy Building Projected.

How much a wife can do to help her husband in a public career is convincingly proven by the married life of Madame Jusserand, the American wife of the French Ambassador at Washington. Indeed M. Jusserand was selected by the Government of France to act as the accredited agent of the French republic at Uncle Sam's headquarters largely because of the fact that he had an American wife who it was believed could be of great assistance to him in handling any negotiations which might have to be carried on between the two nations.

Madame Jusserand, although American born, spent most of her life up to the time of her marriage in France. That she was thus an exile from the land of the Stars and Stripes was due to the fact that her father, Mr. Richards, was an American banker in Paris, and thus his business interests compelled him to reside almost continuously at the French capital. His daughter was educated on the banks of the Seine and speaks French quite as readily as she does English.

Her husband has a great admiration for the American people—possibly because he is so fond of his wife. He is an author of note and has translated several American literary works into French. Prior to coming to Washington, M. Jusserand and his wife resided in Copenhagen, the capital of Denmark, where M. Jusserand acted as the envoy of his government. His promotion to Washington was a decided advance in rank and carries with it a big increase in salary.

#### AN INSEPARABLE COUPLE.

Both M. Jusserand and his Yankee helpmate are very genial and hospitable, but they are manifestly much

However, the government at Paris recently purchased a good-sized tract of ground in the most desirable section of Washington and will erect thereon a splendid embassy home of its own. Madame Jusserand being an American woman and thoroughly conversant with the wants of American women and Yankee conditions of life in general has been able to give the French architect who journeyed from Paris many valuable pointers as to designing the new house and she will be able to select the furnishings, etc., with far greater ease and success than could a Frenchwoman not in touch with American ways.

#### INSURANCE SIDE LIGHTS.

##### Methods Employed for Gouging the Hard Worked Agent.

During the recent scandal and the stir of insurance methods in general which followed, one of the tenderest spots of that business was left untouched. It is the system known in the parlance of industrial insurance workers as "arrearages and advances."

The taking of arrearages and advances occurs weekly on the book of every agent, when the agent must pay for each week on every policy which is beyond the grace period allowed by the company, namely "four weeks."

Superficially it would appear easy to obey the company's rules or—supposed rules; but the cancelling of a policy or policies might precipitate what is known as "thrown off claiming," whereby the company refuses to pay further special salary until a sufficient number of substantial applicants are approved to offset the cancellations. So it may seem expedient to the needful agent, to pay a dollar for the current week, rather than to lose the prospect of receiving fifteen for the week following. He thereby borrows money from the company at a large rate of interest—one dollar for the loan of fifteen for one week—and if he wishes to retain this loan he must pay for the week following. Gradually but almost surely, it becomes a case of the "Spider and the Fly."

Unless he be an uncommonly good writer, or an exceptionally wary man, the web tightens and his source of

## SOUTHWEST'S SMALL FARMS.

### WONDERFUL CROP RESULTS FROM A SINGLE ACRE OF GOOD IRRIGATED LAND.

Instance of a Man Who Makes Good Living and Lays by Four Hundred Dollars a Year—No Fear of Drought or Failure.

WILLIAM E. SMYTHE.

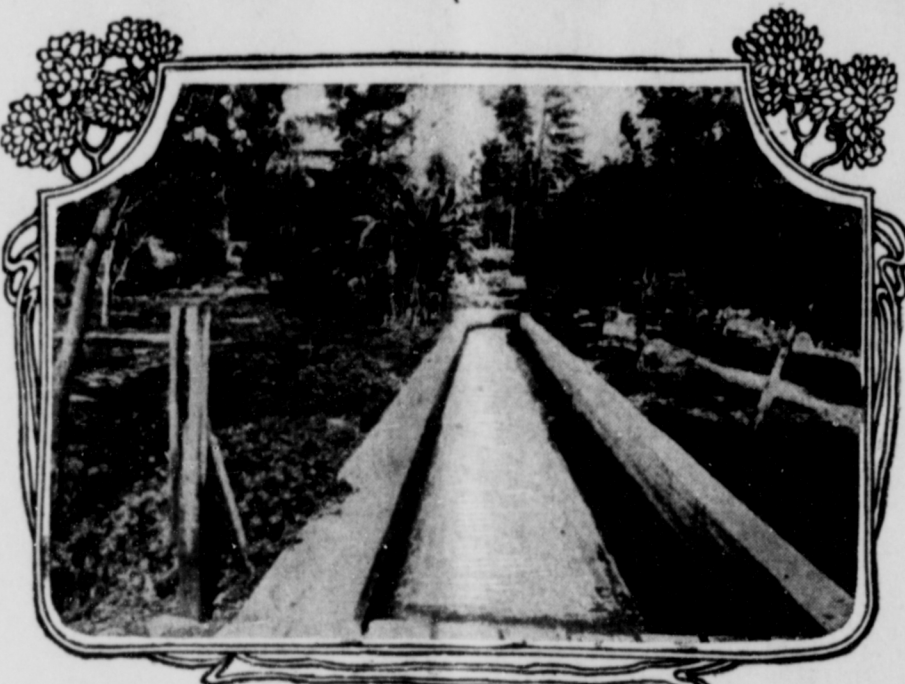
The Sacramento Valley of California is a land of big farms. Private estates run all the way from one thousand to one hundred thousand acres. It was once profitable to farm vast areas in grain.

Although this valley is blessed with most abundant water supplies, irrigation is not generally employed. There is little rainfall from May to November, yet grain and deciduous fruits are grown without artificial

ing conditions are superior even to those of southern California. There is a great future for this southwestern corner of America, and it will some day be peopled as extensively as its wonderful ruins show it to have been unknown centuries ago.

#### The Wanderer Returns.

It was old home week, and the returned sons and grandsons had been telling with more or less pride of the changes time had wrought for them. At last Edward Jameson spoke: "I went away from here twenty years ago a poor man, with only one solitary dollar in my pocket. I walked the four miles from my father's farm to the station, and there I begged a ride to Boston on a freight car. Last night I drove into town behind a spirited pair of horses, and my purse—guess how much my purse holds in money to-day, besides a large check," and Mr. Jameson looked about him with a brilliant smile.



HOW THINGS GROW IN THE SOUTH-WEST UNDER IRRIGATION.

moisture. But the big farms are not prosperous. They are largely cultivated by tenants and are strangely devoid of features which make the true southwestern farm one of the most delightful home-spots in the world. The men on the land sell all they produce and buy nearly all they consume. And so they pay tribute to others "going and coming."

I have been visiting a farm in the Sacramento Valley which consists of one single acre of irrigated land, and which makes a better home and larger net income for its owner than many of his neighbors enjoy on places of thousands of acres each. The little farm is at Orland, in Glen County, and is the property of a man named Samuel Cleeks, who has grown old and gray while tilling it for the past thirty years.

Mr. Cleeks tells me that he has no difficulty whatever in making a comfortable living from this one acre of irrigated land. Not only so, but he is able to save an average of four hundred dollars a year beside. He has money to loan, as well as fruit, vegetables and poultry products to sell to those who are getting poorer every year in carrying on big farms without irrigation. I was so curious to know how he could get such good results from so small an area that I asked him to give me a list of what the place contained. Here it is:

#### ON A SINGLE ACRE.

Barn and Corral space.....	75 x 75 feet
Rabbit Hutch.....	25 x 25 "
House and Porches.....	30 x 30 "
2 Windmill Towers each.....	16 x 16 "
Garden.....	46 x 94 "
Blackberries.....	16 x 90 "
Strawberries.....	65 x 90 "
Citrus Nursery, in which there are 2300 budded orange, lemon and lime trees.....	90 x 98 "
1 row of Dewberries.....	100 feet long,
4 Apricot trees,	
3 Peach trees,	
6 Fig trees,	
10 Locust trees,	
30 Assorted Roses,	
20 Assorted Geraniums,	
12 Lemon trees, bearing, seven years old,	
1 Lime tree, nine years old and bearing, from which were sold last year 100 dozen limes,	
8 Bearing Orange trees,	
4 Breadfruit trees,	
5 Pomegranate trees,	
1 Patch of Bamboo,	
3 Calia Lillies,	
4 Prune trees,	
3 Blue Gum trees,	
6 Cypress trees,	
4 Grapevines,	
1 English Ivy,	
2 Honeysuckles,	
1 Seed-bed,	
1 Sage-bed,	
2 Tomato vines,	
13 Stands of Bees.	

#### ERA OF THE SMALL FARM.

Time was when the man who had said that a living could be made from 5 acres, much less a single acre, would have been considered a dreamer or a greenhorn. Now, however, all through the Southwest, in great sections of California and Arizona, where the sun is warm, the soil is deep and fertile, and the water for irrigation ample, little farms are making for their owners more money than many of the big ones. Two, three, five and ten acre tracts closely and faithfully cultivated have become, in hundreds of instances, veritable gold mines. Some of the communities of southern California, composed of these little ranches, resemble the suburbs of a village, so close are the farm houses. Arizona is not so far along in this class of settlement, because it is a newer country, but the enthusiastic claim is made for many parts of the Territory that the climate and grow-

"Fifty dollars!" "Seventy-five!" "A hundred!" shouted the boys, filled with admiration. "No," said Mr. Jameson, drawing a large flat purse from his pocket when the clamor had subsided, "none of you has guessed right. When I paid the 25 cents to Ozy Bogs for my refreshing drive in the coach, I had besides my trunk check (which I retained for financial reasons,) exactly 4 cents. I have come back, my friends, to stay. Any little jobs of sawing and splitting will be gratefully received."—Youth's Companion.

#### Worked the Double Cross.

"This," said the Jeweler, "is what happened here last month. "Mr. B. drove up in a hansom and entered my shop, accompanied by his valet, who carried an oblong box of steel. Mr. B. asked for a private interview and I took him into my office. There he opened the box exposing a splendid array of diamond and pearl necklaces, earrings, tiaras, and stomachers.

"Mrs. B.," he said, "is now abroad. Before she returns I want you to extract all these stones and to replace them with good imitations, selling the real jewels and giving me the money. This, of course, is to be a confidential transaction. Mrs. B. is to know nothing of it." "I looked at Mr. B. I think I blushed a little." "My dear sir," I said, "I should be glad to do what you ask, but it is impossible. Two years ago Mrs. B. called here on the same errand that now brings you, and this errand, in her case, was successful. The paste jewels that you offer me are worth little more than the hire of the hansom awaiting you outside."

#### He Liked the Game.

"A seedy looking individual, apparently from the rurals, entered Flockner's barber shop one day last week," says the Hobart News-Republican. "He got in the second chair, and told Charley he wanted the 'whole works'."

"After Charley had trimmed him up till he would have passed for Leslie Niblack, he woke him up. "Hair cut," says the sleeper, drowsily.

"Hair's cut," says Charley. "Shave," says he, still half asleep. "Done shaved you?" "Shampoo." "You've got 'er." "Shine." "Been shined." "Neck shave." "Already been there." "Singe hair." "I've burned it."

"The customer settled down in the chair until he was sitting on his neck, and says, 'Pull a tooth.'"

#### The Other Fellow.

The butcher thinks the baker has an easy time through life. The baker thinks the doctor's path is ever free from strife: And to us all this truth comes home as through this life we bob— It's the other fellow every time that has the easy job.

#### Football as Played.

"I hear your son has been winning high honors at college?" "He has, indeed. He has been a quarterback, a halfback, a fullback, and now—"

"Yes, what is he now?" said the speaker eagerly.

"Now," replied the other, "he's a hunchback."

## THE ARMY TRANSPORT.

### PACIFIC SQUADRON IS A MODEL FOR HANDLING THE GOVERNMENT'S TROOPS.

Private Steamship Companies Said to be Unequal to the Task of Transporting Soldier Boys—The Cost is Greater.

Along the Pacific Coast the army transport service in operation with the Philippines and intermediate points, is not regarded with favor. Private steamship companies covet the business which is now being done by the dozen and a half vessels making up the transport fleet.

During the last fiscal year the Sheridan, Sherman, Thomas, Logan and Dix carried to Honolulu, Guam and Manila 31,000 passengers, 115,000 tons of freight, 800,863 pounds of United States mail, and \$2,478,000 in United States money, besides a considerable amount of Philippine pesos coined in the San Francisco mint; and in January, 1906, the schedule was doubled, that is, instead of one sailing a month there are now two.

The army prefers to do its own freight and passenger business on the Pacific for the following reasons:

Primarily, private companies securing contracts could not furnish the service desired without specially constructed vessels, an expense which, though demonstrated absolutely necessary by experience, they would not undertake owing to the uncertainty of the traffic.

Secondly, the present service is found more economical, the cost of operation last year amounted to \$750,000 less than the lowest estimate presented by any of the private concerns bidding for the business.

Lastly, the exigencies of the service which might at any moment demand the rapid transportation of large shipments of troops and supplies would necessitate the holding in reserve of a considerable number of vessels, an impossibility to a private steamship company which is forced by competition to operate with strictest economy.

#### COMBINED COMFORT AND CAPACITY.

In explanation of the first of these reasons—the average transport is a type of marine construction peculiarly individual. While exteriorly it has all the appointments of a modern ocean-going steamer, it differs essentially in its interior arrangement. The transportation of large numbers of troops across an ocean distance of 7,000 miles, the greater part of this mileage lying within the tropics, demands the best possible ventilation and sanitation. The sleeping accommodations for soldiers are between decks, and the entire space allotted for this purpose is often from end to end. Metal berths in tiers of three, one above the other, make the place resemble a giant honeycomb. Shower baths, reading and recreation rooms are provided, and a regularly equipped hospital with isolation wards is in charge of a surgeon and assistants drawn from the army Medical Corps and the Hospital Corps. These quarters are

bark in fifteen days. Assuming this ratio, it would require, to strike the first quick blow of a force corresponding to our present military establishment, the entire shipping on the Atlantic and more than the entire tonnage of the Pacific. It is doubtful if any private line would care to hold enough ships in reserve to transport two divisions on a fortnight's notice. The Quartermaster General gave it as his opinion that, "in view of the futile efforts of the Quartermaster's Department to obtain suitable transports from the merchant marine in 1898 for the transportation of the army to Cuba, and of the further fact that when withdrawn from regular line service the transports can not be successfully reposed of, owing to their peculiar interior construction," it would be wise policy to retain a sufficient number of boats as a reserve force of equipment of the army, to be economically cared for and kept in a condition as to be promptly available for any emergency which may arise requiring the transportation of troops on the ocean." Since the whisper of trouble in the Orient, two first class troopships have been held at anchor in Manila Bay, and until January all the freighters of the transport service were out of active service, with the exception of the Dix.

#### PACIFIC FLEET A MODEL.

The army has built up its Pacific transport fleet after long and trying experience, and it is generally conceded that the vessels are models of their kind. Representatives of foreign governments have asked for and received copies of the specifications.

The transportation of live stock has been fruitful of disasters. The first consignment of mules shipped to Manila was a source of great anxiety. Every precaution was taken, and finally the fatal precaution of belly-banding the animals caused the loss of all but one, who became known in Manila as the hundred thousand dollar Jack. The rest all died of the unaccustomed exercise of swinging on their stomachs.

#### LEARNS LANGUAGES IN JAIL.

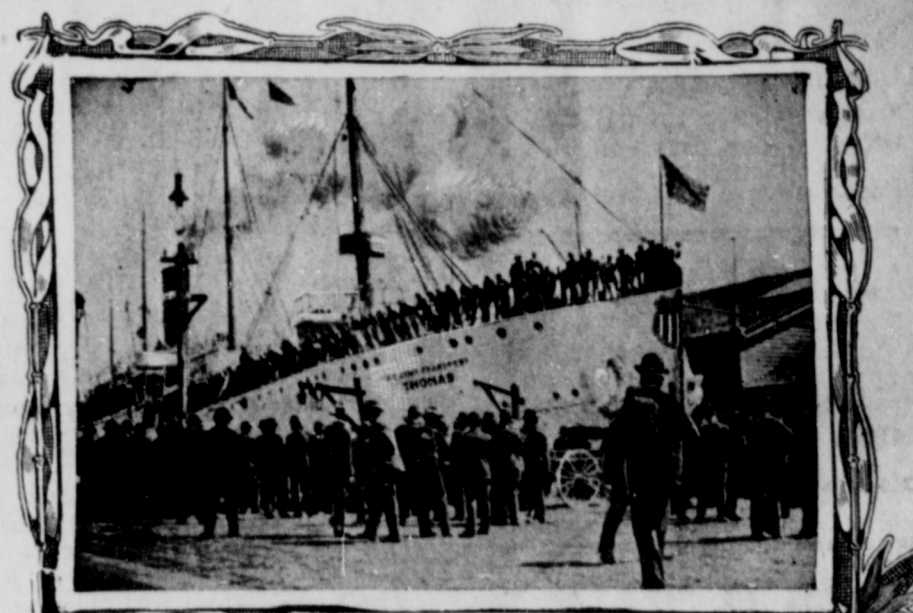
Berkmann, Who Tried to Kill Henry C. Frick, Becomes Linguist.

When Alexander Berkmann left the Allegheny County prison in May last, after having served fifteen years for an attempt to kill Henry C. Frick, the coke and steel magnate, he found himself able to converse fluently in eight languages.

The years behind prison bars have converted him from an avowed anarchist to a student and philosopher.

Many persons have forgotten both Berkmann and his crime, yet they startled the nation during the days of the great Homestead strike of 1892. Mr. Frick was one of the managers of the steel industry when it grappled in the gigantic struggle with its workmen. Berkman was so radical, at the other end of the scale, that he was classed as a leading anarchist.

During the excitement of the industrial controversy Berkmann found his way into the Pittsburgh offices of Mr. Frick, reached that magnate's presence and shot him twice, then attempt-



TRANSPORT "THOMAS" ABOUT TO SAIL FOR THE ORIENT.

FREIGHT TRANSPORT "DIX" LOADING ANIMALS FOR PHILIPPINES.

not such as are provided for steerage passengers on the Pacific, and if vessels so equipped were owned and operated by a private line, that line would be long in getting rid of them, should the army be suddenly recalled from the Islands. Furthermore, the army transport must carry a battery of rapid fire guns in her bows, something for which private steamship companies have very little use.

The second argument advanced by the adherents of the present system needs no comment.

The third and last contention is best supported by a report made on January 14 of this year by the General Staff of the Army to the Senate Committee on Merchant Marine, in which it was stated that "to embark a division would require ten 6,500-ton ships and nine 5,500-ton ships. With the strength of the regular army two divisions could be made ready to em-

ing to complete the work with a dagger.

Overpowered before he could accomplish his full purpose, Berkmann was hurried to jail. Being convicted at his trial he was given a fifteen year term in the penitentiary for attempt to kill. This was supplemented by a one-year term in the Allegheny County workhouse for carrying concealed deadly weapons.

Once behind prison bars he gave up all his leisure time to study. At the beginning of his term he could read and write English and German. During the first years of his imprisonment he eagerly perused all books in those languages that he could secure. In course of time he mastered the Slavic, Polish and Hungarian languages, and also acquired a good general knowledge of Italian, Spanish and French.



MADAME JUSSERAND—WIFE OF THE FRENCH AMBASSADOR.

wrapped up in each other. Indeed, when the French Ambassador visited the St. Louis Exposition alone by reason of the fact that Madame Jusserand was prevented from accompanying him because of an abscess on her forehead it was the first time in their married life that they had ever been separated, even for a few days.

Madame Jusserand is rather dark-complexioned and in many respects has the appearance of a typical French woman. She is a firm believer in outdoor life as a source of health and pleasure. When in Washington or at their summer home on the coast of Massachusetts she and her husband daily indulge in long walks and spend hours playing tennis. Madame Jusserand is a most charitably disposed woman and since her arrival in America has constantly but inconspicuously aided many causes. She has no children, but on several occasions she has given parties at her home for the French children residing at the national capital.

#### NEW FRENCH EMBASSY.

The lady is looking forward to having the privilege of fitting up a new French Embassy at Washington that will be in keeping with the dignity of our sister republic. For years the "branch office" of France in the United States was located in an old residence in Washington that was at one time the home of Admiral Porter. Then a few years ago the French establishment was moved to the house owned by Bellamy Storer—the house which President Roosevelt leased just after his election as Vice-President and before he had any thought that he would be called upon to go to the White House when he took up his residence in the city on the Potomac.

#### Never Drink Water.

There are many different kinds of animals that never in all their lives sip so much as a drop of water. Among these are the llamas of the Andes and the gazelles of the far East. Many naturalists believe that the only moisture imbibed by wild rabbits is derived from the green herbage they eat.

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## Commissioner's Sale.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.

C. S. Nunn, plff.,  
vs.  
Ruth Guess, deft.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June Term thereof, 1906, in the above cause for the sum of \$2,000, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the 30th day of March, 1906 until paid, and costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 13th day of August, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to-wit:

Two tracts of land in Crittenden county, Ky., near the Ohio river, and same conveyed to J. C. Funkhouser, S. J. Funkhouser and their children by T. S. Croft and wife, on the 9th day of February, 1898, by deed recorded in book 7, page 6 and bounded as follows:

FIRST TRACT.—Beginning at a stone in the mouth of the lane, corner to George Johnson's land, running thence N 62 1/2 poles to a stake in the Wallace Ferry road, thence with said road with its meanders, S 85 W 35 poles; N 47 W 15 poles; N 19 W 27 poles; N 59 W 27 poles; N 75 W 35 poles; N 68 W 24 poles; N 77 W 22 poles; N 74 W 46 poles, to a stake in L. W. Foster's line, thence with his line S 27 W 67 poles to a hickory and white oak in the military line, thence with same S 70 E 175 poles to a black gum and white oak, corner to Threlkeld, thence with his line S 2 W 122 poles to a post oak and white oak, thence S 29 E 44 poles to a maple and white oak, corner to said Geo. Johnson survey, thence with line of same N 22 E 143 poles to the beginning, containing 130 acres by survey.

SECOND TRACT.—Adjoining above tract and beginning at a stone near D. A. Johnson's house, thence N 63 poles to the center of Wallace Ferry road, thence with the meanders of road, toward Marion, N 86 E 24 poles S 77 1/2 E 12 poles; S 63 E 18 poles; S 51 E 12 poles; S 46 E 33 poles; S 66 E 24 poles; S 48 E 14 poles; S 20 E 18 poles; S 54 E 23 poles; S 84 W 12 1/2 poles to a stake in the road, to two sassafras pointers, standing on the west side of the road, thence S 69 W 139 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing 49 1/2 acres.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sum of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price the purchaser with approved security or securities, must execute Bond bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. W. BLUE,  
Special Commissioner.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.  
L. H. JAMES, ETC., Plffs vs. J. F. MOORE, ETC., Defts.  
In Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June term thereof, 1906, in the above cause for the sum of three hundred dollars, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the 22d day of July, 1902, until paid and \$50 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in Marion, to the highest bidder at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 13th day of August, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land lying and being in the county of Crittenden and state of Kentucky, on the waters of Brushy Fork creek, and being the same land conveyed by R. L. Moore, Sr., to J. J. Moore about 26 years ago, and bounded on the south by the land of Ham Burton and on the north by the land of Mrs. Mamie Hughes, and on the east by the land of E. C. Moore, and on the west by the land of Fountain Long, containing about 100 acres. For further description see deed from R. L. Moore, Sr., to J. J. Moore, recorded in county clerk, Crittenden county court.

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SECOND TRACT.—Adjoining above tract and beginning at a stone near D. A. Johnson's house, thence N 63 poles to the center of Wallace Ferry road, thence with the meanders of road, toward Marion, N 86 E 24 poles S 77 1/2 E 12 poles; S 63 E 18 poles; S 51 E 12 poles; S 46 E 33 poles; S 66 E 24 poles; S 48 E 14 poles; S 20 E 18 poles; S 54 E 23 poles; S 84 W 12 1/2 poles to a stake in the road, to two sassafras pointers, standing on the west side of the road, thence S 69 W 139 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing 49 1/2 acres.

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J. W. BLUE,  
Special Commissioner.

## Commissioner's Sale.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.

L. H. JAMES, ETC., Plffs vs. J. F. MOORE, ETC., Defts.  
In Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June term thereof, 1906, in the above cause for the sum of three hundred dollars, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the 22d day of July, 1902, until paid and \$50 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in Marion, to the highest bidder at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 13th day of August, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land lying and being in the county of Crittenden and state of Kentucky, on the waters of Brushy Fork creek, and being the same land conveyed by R. L. Moore, Sr., to J. J. Moore about 26 years ago, and bounded on the south by the land of Ham Burton and on the north by the land of Mrs. Mamie Hughes, and on the east by the land of E. C. Moore, and on the west by the land of Fountain Long, containing about 100 acres. For further description see deed from R. L. Moore, Sr., to J. J. Moore, recorded in county clerk, Crittenden county court.

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J. G. ROCHESTER,  
Commissioner.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.

BOSTON & PARIS, Plffs, vs. JAMES E. CRITTENDEN, ETC., Defts.  
In Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June term thereof, 1906, in the above cause for the sum of \$4,950, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the day of 189 until paid, and \$100 cost herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court house door in Marion, to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 13th day of August, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

The two-story concrete building now situated on the north side of what is known as Bank, or Carlisle street, in the city of Marion, Kentucky, and in Crittenden county, said building being situated upon the following described lot in the aforesaid city, county and State: On the North side of Bank or Carlisle street, beginning at a point on the North side of the street, 10 feet east from the southwest corner of Blue & Gugenheim's lot, and also east line of an alley, thence with line of said alley, a north course 80 or 88 feet to the south line of W. D. Wallingford's livery stable lot, thence east with Wallingford's line 31 feet and 3 inches to Adams & Pierce's line, thence a south course, 80 or 88 feet to the street, thence a west course with the street to the beginning.

It being the lot conveyed to C. H. Whitehouse and J. E. Crittenden by S. R. Adams and wife and Ira T. Pierce, on April 21, 1905, by deed recorded in Book 17, page 492, in Crittenden county clerk's office, and it being the same lot to which J. E. Crittenden and wife conveyed an undivided half interest in to C. H. Whitehouse on October, 1905, by deed recorded in Book 20, page 192 Clerk's office Crittenden county court.

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CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KY.

GEORGE B. SIMPSON, Plff., vs. A. J. GRANT, Deft.—In Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and order of sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June term thereof, 1906, in the above cause for the sum of \$113.19, with interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the 15th day of April, 1906, until paid, and \$40 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer at the Court house door in Marion to the highest bidder at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 23th day of August, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit:

The following described property, situated in Crittenden county, Kentucky, on the waters of Hood's creek and bounded as follows: Beginning on a white oak, corner to T. W. Hughes, thence S 20 E 26 poles to a hickory; thence N 83 E 26 poles to a stone; thence S 64 E 56 poles to a stone at the mouth of a lane; thence N 15 E 48 poles to a white oak; thence 16 E 94 poles to a stake; thence S 75 N 20 poles to a small black oak (now down) thence W 54 poles to a poplar, thence S about 13 poles to a white oak and hickory; thence S 60 W 15 poles to a white oak; thence S 22 W 44 poles to the beginning, containing fifty-seven acres, more or less.

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CHAPTER XIII.

The prince's reception-room was fitted up with all the state and luxury which the time and power of his owner demanded. A high dais at the further end was reached by a broad canopy of scarlet velvet spanned with silver fleur-de-lis.

In the center of the dais were two very high chairs. On that to the right sat a tall and well-proportioned man with a fair, a lively face, and a cold blue eye. He lounged back in a careless position, and yawned repeatedly. On the other throne there was perched bolt upright, a little round, plump-faced person, who smiled and bobbed to everyone whose eyes he chanced to meet. Between them, and in front of them, on a low, round, upholstered stool, sat a slim and young man in quiet attire and modest manner. He was proclaimed him to be the prince's friend, the European. He sat with his hands clasped round his knees, his head slightly bent, and an expression of interest upon his clear, well-chiseled features. Below on either side of the stiers were forty or fifty English and Gascon barons, knights, and courtiers.

"There sits the prince," whispered Sir John Chandos as they entered. "He on the right is Pedro, whom we are about to put upon the Spanish throne. The other is Don James, whom we purpose with the aid of God to help his throne in Navarre."

The prince had observed their entrance, and, springing to his feet, he had advanced with a winning smile and the light of welcome in his eyes.

"Welcome to Aquitaine, Sir Nigel Loring, and Sir Oliver Bantershorpe," said he. "Nay, keep your knee for my sweet father at Windsor. I would have your hands, my friends. We are like to give you some work to do ere you see the downs of Hampshire once more. How many have you in your train?"

"I have forty men-at-arms, sire," said Sir Oliver.

"And I have one hundred archers and a score of lances; there are also three hundred men of the White Company who wait for me on this side of the water upon the borders of Navarre."

"We hope to see you both in the banquet-hall anon," rejoined the prince. He bowed, and Chandos, plucking Sir Oliver by the sleeve, led them both away to the back of the press of courtiers.

The young ruler had sat listlessly upon his stool with the two puppet monarchs enthroned behind him, but at a sudden a dark shadow passed over his face, and he sprang to his feet in one of those gusts of passion which were the single blot upon his noble and generous character.

"How now, Don Martin de la Carrera?" he cried. "How now, sirrah? What message do you bring to us from our brother of Navarre?" The new-comer to whom this abrupt query had been addressed was a tall and handsome cavalier who had just been ushered into the apartment. "Are the passes open to us, or does your master go back from his word pledged to me at Libourne no later than last Michaelmas?"

"It would ill become my gracious master, sire, to go back from promise given. He does but ask some delay and certain conditions and hostages."

"Conditions! Hostages! Is he speaking to the Prince of England, or is it to the bourgeois provost of some half-captured town? Conditions, quotha? He may find much to mend in his own condition, ere long. The passes are, then, closed to us?"

"Nay, sire—"

"They are open, then?"

"Nay, sire, if you would but—"

"Enough, enough, Don Martin," cried the prince. "It is a sorry sight to see so true a knight pleading in so false a cause. We know the doings of our Cousin Charles. We know that while with the right hand he takes our fifty thousand crowns for the holding of the passes open, he hath his left hand stretched to Henry of Trastamare, or to the King of France, all ready to take as many more for the keeping them closed. I know our good Charles, and he shall learn that I know him. He sets his kingdom up to the best bidder, like some scoundrel farrier selling a glandered horse. He is—"

"My lord," cried Don Martin, "I cannot stand here to hear such words of my master. Did they come from other lips I should know better how to answer them."

"Your bearing and your words, Don Martin, are such as I should have looked for in you. You will tell the king, your master, that he hath been paid his price, and that if he holds to his promise, he hath my word for it that no scoundrel shall come to his people, nor to their houses or gear. If, however, we have not his leave, I shall come close at the heels of this message without his leave, and bearing a key with me which shall open all that he may close. Where is my good Chandos? Ha, Sir John, I commend this worthy knight to your care. You will see that he hath refection, and such a purse of gold as may defray his charges, for indeed it is great honor to any court to have within it so noble and gentle a cavalier."

"But I have tidings for you, my lords and lieges, that our brother of Lancaster is on his way for our capital with four hundred lances and as many archers to aid us in our venture. We shall then join the army at Daix and set our banners to the breeze once more."

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CHAPTER XIV.

While the prince's council was sitting, Alleyn and Ford had remained in the outer hall, where they were soon surrounded by a noisy group of young Englishmen of their own rank, all eager to hear the latest news from England.

"How is it with the old man at Windsor?" asked one.

"And how with the good Queen Philippa?"

"How of England, my lads of Loring?" said a young man named Humphrey.

"I take it," said Ford, "that it is much as it was when you were there last, save"

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"THE PRINCE OBSERVED THEIR ENTRANCE WITH ALIGHT OF WELCOME IN HIS EYES."

Close to the bank of the Garonne there lay a little tract of green-sward. The river ran deep and swift up to the steep bank. Here the two combatants drew their swords. In such combats, as well as in the formal sports of the tilting-yard, the Gascon was a match for the English. On the other hand, Alleyn had used his weapons in constant exercise and practice for every day of many months, and being by nature quick of eye and prompt of hand, he might pass now as no mean swordsman. An unequal fight it seemed to most; but there were a few, and they the most experienced, who saw something in the youth's steady gray eye and wary step which left the issue open.

"Hold, sirs, hold!" cried Norbury, ere blow had been struck. "This gentleman hath a two-handed sword, a good foot longer than that of our friend."

Nay, friends, he answered, I understand the weight and balance of mine own sword. To work, sirs, for our lords may need us!"

Tranter's great sword was indeed a mighty vantage in his favor. The weapon he held straight up in front of him with blade erect, so that he might either bring it down with a swinging blow, or by a turn of the heavy blade he might guard his own head and body. A further protection lay in the broad and powerful guard which crossed the hilt, and which was furnished with a deep and narrow notch, in which an expert swordsman

might catch his foeman's blade, and by a quick turn of his wrist snap it across. Alleyn, on the other hand, must trust for his defence to his quick eye and active foot—for his sword, though keen, was of a light and graceful build, with a narrow sloping pommel and a tapering steel.

Tranter well knew his advantage and lost little time in putting it to use. As his opponent walked toward him he suddenly bounded forward and sent in a whistling cut which would have severed the other in twain had he not sprung lightly back from it. Quick as a panther, Alleyn sprang with a thrust, but Tranter, who was as active as he was strong, had already recovered himself and turned it aside with a movement of his heavy blade. Again he whizzed in a blow which made the spectators hold their breath, and again Alleyn very quickly and swiftly slid from under it, and sent back two lightning thrusts which the other could scarce parry. So close were they to each other that Alleyn had no time to spring back from the next cut, which beat down his sword and grazed his forehead, sending the blood streaming into his eyes and down his cheeks. He sprang out beyond sword-sweep, and the pair stood breathing heavily, while the crowd of young squires buzzed their applause.

"Bravely struck on both sides!" cried Roger Harcomb. "You have both won honor from this meeting, and it would be sin and shame to let it go further."

"You have done enough," Edricson said Norbury.

"You have carried yourself well," cried several of the older squires.

"For much part, I have no wish to slay this young man," said Tranter, wiping his brow.

"Does this gentleman crave my pardon for having used me despatchfully?" asked Alleyn.

"Nay, not I."

"Then stand on your guard, sir!" With a clatter and clash the two blades met once more. Alleyn pressing in so as to keep within full sweep of the heavy blade, while Tranter as continually sprang back to have space for one of his great cuts. A three-parts parried blow drew blood from Alleyn's left shoulder, but at the moment he wounded Tranter slightly upon the thigh. Next instant, however, his blade had slipped into the fatal notch, there was a sharp cracking sound with a tinkling upon the ground, and he found a splintered piece of steel fifteen inches long was all that remained to him of his weapon.

"Your life is in my hands!" cried Tranter, with a bitter smile.

"Another sword," cried Ford.

"Nay, sir," said Harcomb, "that is not the custom."

"Throw down your hilt, Edricson!" cried Norbury.

"Nay," said Alleyn. "Do you crave my pardon, sir?"

"You are mad to ask it."

"Then on your guard again!" cried the young squire, and sprang in with a fire and a fury which more than made up for the shortness of his weapon. It had not escaped him that his opponent was breathing in short, hoarse gasps, like a man who is dizzy with fatigue. Now was the time for the puer living and the more agile limb to show their value. Back and back gave Tranter, ever seeking time for a last cut. On and on came Alleyn, his jagged point now at his foeman's face, now at his throat, now at his chest, still stabbing and thrusting to pass the line of steel which covered him. Yet his experienced foeman knew well that such efforts could not be long sustained. Let him relax for one instant and his death-blow would come. Relax he must! Fieed and blood could not stand the strain. Already the thrusts were less fierce, the foot less ready, although there was no abatement of the spirit in the steady gray eyes. Tranter, cunning and wary from years of fighting, knew that his chance had come. He brushed aside the frail hilt which was opposed to him, whirled up his great blade, sprang back to get the fairer sweep—and vanished into the waters of the Garonne.

So intent had the squires, both combatants and spectators, been on the matter in hand, that all thought of the steep bank and swift, still stream had gone from their minds. Tranter's last spring, carried him clear of the edge, and he

praise which broke from the squires around him.

"I am much beholden to you, sir," said Tranter, though in no very friendly voice. "Certes, I should have been in the river now but for you."

"I ask no thanks," Alleyn answered shortly. "Give me your hand to rise, Ford."

"The river has been my enemy," said Tranter, "but it hath been a good friend to you, for it hath saved your life this day."

"That is as it may be," returned Alleyn.

"Alas, for my poor sword, which lies at the bottom of the Garonne!" said Tranter.

"Here is your pourpoint, Edricson," cried Norbury. "Throw it over your shoulders, that you may have at least one dry garment."

"And now away back to the abbey," said several.

"One moment, sirs!" cried Alleyn, who was leaning on Ford's shoulder, with the broken sword which he had picked up, still clutched in his right hand. "My ears may be somewhat dulled by the water, but I have not yet heard this gentleman crave pardon for the insult which he put upon me in the hall."

"What! do you still pursue the quarrel?" asked Tranter.

"And why not, sir? I am slow to take up such things, but once afoot I shall follow it while I have life or breath."

"Ma foi! you have not too much of either, for you are as white as marble," said Harcomb bluntly. "Let it drop, sir, for you have come very well out of it."

"Nay," said Alleyn, "this quarrel is none of my making, but now I am here, I swear that I shall never leave this spot until I have that which I have come for: so ask my pardon, sir, or choose another grave and to it again."

The young squire was deadly white from his exertions, both on the land and in the water. Soaking and stained, with a smudge of blood on his white shoulder, and another on his brow, there was still in his whole pose and set face the stamp of an inflexible resolution. His opponent's duller and more material mind quailed before the fire and intensity of a higher spiritual nature.

"I had not thought that you had taken it so amiss," he said awkwardly. "It was but such a jest as we play upon each other, and if you must have it so, I am sorry for it."

"Then I am sorry too," quoth Alleyn warmly, "and here is my hand upon it."

"And the nonesday, here is mine," said Tranter, "three times." quoth Harcomb. By my troth! Master Ford, your friend here is in need of a cup of wine, for he hath drunk deeply of Garonne water. I had not thought from his fair face that he had stood to this matter so shrewdly."

"Fairer said Ford, "the air of the place hath turned our turtle-dove into a gamecock. A milder or more courteous youth never came out of Hampshire."

"His master also, as I understand, is a very gentle and courteous gentleman," remarked Harcomb: "yet I do not think that they are either of them men with whom it is very safe to trifle."

(To be Continued Next Week.)

### Synopsis of Preceding Chapters.

The events of the story are laid in the 14th century. The story is told from the point of view of the Gascon knight, Sir Nigel Loring, who is a member of the White Company. The story begins with the Gascon knight, Sir Nigel Loring, who is a member of the White Company. The story begins with the Gascon knight, Sir Nigel Loring, who is a member of the White Company. The story begins with the Gascon knight, Sir Nigel Loring, who is a member of the White Company.

**DIPLOMAT'S WIFE MEDDLING.**

**Ambitious American Woman Interfered in Affairs of State.**

The ambitions of Mrs. Bollans Storer for the promotion of her husband, formerly United States ambassador to Austria-Hungary, are now blamed for his removal from the diplomatic service of the United States. It is claimed that Mrs. Storer's ambition was so intense that she not only tried to bring pressure to bear on the President for the advancement of her husband, but that her personal desire to have another American cardinal became objectionable. She advocated Archbishop Ireland for the position, and asked President Roosevelt to use his influence in the archbishop's behalf in Rome.

President Roosevelt wrote in reply that he would like to see the archbishop of St. Paul a cardinal and spoke very highly of the archbishop's public services and breadth of view, but he declared he could not become involved in any matter of church politics, and he pointed out to Mrs. Storer how improper it would be for him to advocate the selection by the Pope of any person for any place.

Mrs. Storer, it is averred, made use of the expression of the President that he would like to see the archbishop made a cardinal, and caused it to come to the attention of high dignitaries in such a way that it appeared to be the wish of the President that the action should be taken.

President Roosevelt wrote to Vienna expostulating, and calling attention to his original note, in which he said he would like to have Archbishop Ireland elevated, but could not meddle in such affairs, and he pointed out that the qualification had not been made use of in connection with the apparent endorsement of the proposed new cardinal. Other questions arose, and the administration found itself embarrassed in other ways, and the final result was that the connection of Mr. Storer with the diplomatic service ceased.

The Emperor of the British Empire has 54,000,000 white subjects. The remainder are black, brown and yellow.

The paving blocks of some of the streets of Warsaw are made of compressed straw.

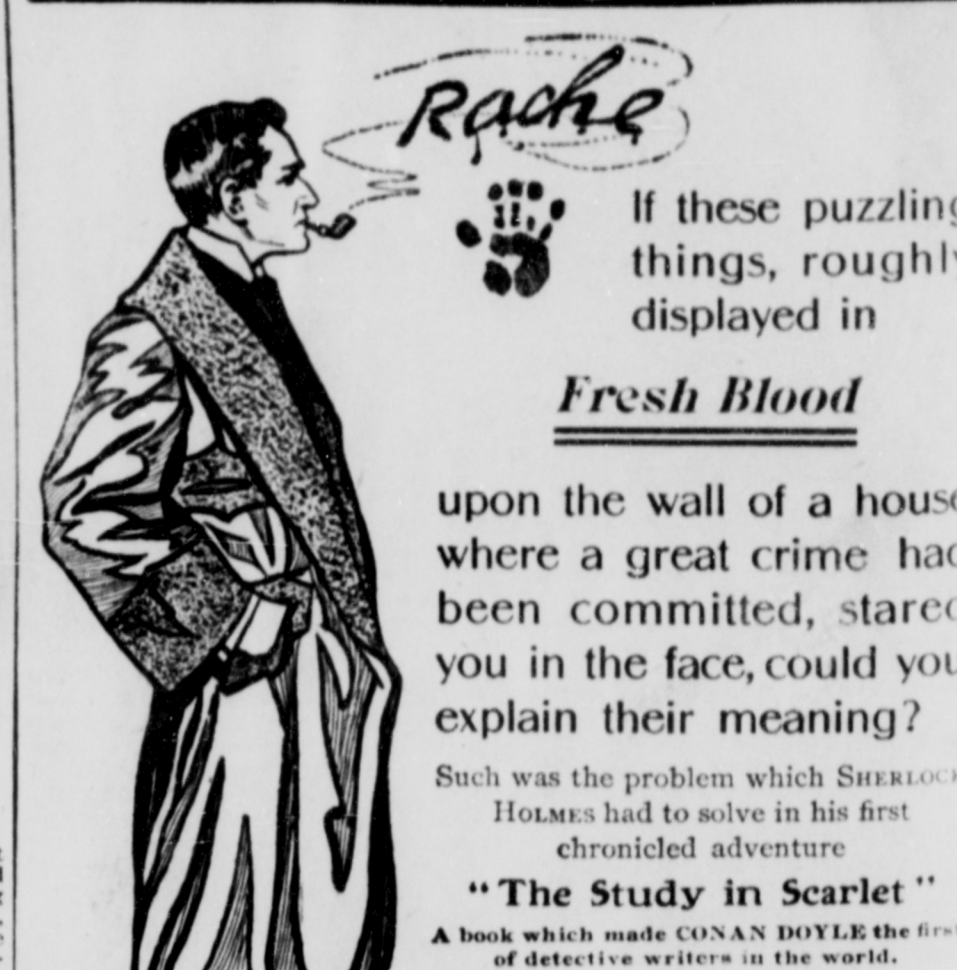


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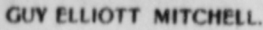
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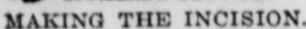
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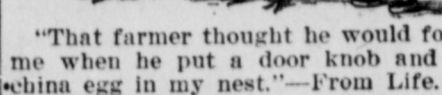
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## OUR HOME TOWN.

A Department Devoted to Village Betterment.

RICHARD HAMILTON BYRD.

The editor of this department desires to keep in touch with the active members of Civic and Local Improvement Associations, and every one interested in the improvement, protection and upbuilding of rural village life.

What is being done in your town to encourage small industries and employment? What is being done along the line of street improvement and the beautifying of private lawns, roadways and public parks? Are your local merchants receiving the support of the local trade? Experience, plans, suggestions and photographs will be welcomed by the editor of this department and so far as possible given place in these columns.

## AN OPPORTUNITY FOR A MARKET GARDEN HOME.

SMALL FARMS ON THE DEEP ALLUVIAL SOIL OF THE SOUTH-WEST WHERE SUNSHINE AND ABUNDANT WATER PRODUCE MARVELOUS YIELDS.

Expert Truck Gardeners, Growers of Berries and Small Fruits, and Poultry Raisers are invited to Form the First Homecrofters' Village in the Outskirts of Phoenix, Salt River Valley, Arizona.

Down in the historic Southwest, that portion of the American continent whose ancient civilization antedates, possibly, that of even old Egypt, a wonderful work of transformation is going on. The magic of irrigation is again making populous and wealthy the wonderfully fertile lands of Arizona, which in ages gone by supported vast cities and a dense agricultural population. The most remarkable single instance of this development is seen in the warm and sunny valley of the Salt River, where the means of irrigation, the city of Phoenix has arisen, and is soon destined to become one of the large cities of the Southwest through the construction of the enormous Tonto Basin Reservoir.

A Homecrofters' Village is now being formed near Phoenix; it is the outgrowth of and combines three great ideas.

1. That the national government should irrigate the deserts and drain the swamps to create opportunities for men to get homes on the land who want only sufficient land each to occupy and use and intensively cultivate with his own labor.

2. That the men who want such homes should be aided to get them by an organization which should work solely for the benefit of the Home-seeker and aid him in every possible way to get the best quality of land in small tracts for the lowest possible price with perfect titles and water rights.

3. That the success of the Home-seekers who secure those homes should be promoted through an organization which would plan to aid in building village communities where the highest possible advantages of education, co-operation and social life and the most attractive rural environment would surround the homes and be a part of the home life of the residents of the village.

To carry into practical operation these three great ideas, three separate organizations were in turn planned and formed by George H. Maxwell. The first idea was carried out through The National Irrigation Association, which conducted a great campaign for national irrigation resulting in the enactment of the National Irrigation Act in June, 1906.

The second idea was formulated and put into working operation through the organization of the Rural Settlements Association.

The third idea has been embodied in an organization recently formed called the Homecrofters' Guild of the Talsman, an account of which was given in the last issue of this paper.

In each of these associations Mr.

association known as the Salt River Valley Water Users Association. That Association contracted with the national government for the construction under the National Irrigation Act of the great Tonto Reservoir which is now being built on Salt River.

Some 70 miles above Phoenix, and what was once an almost inaccessible region, visited only by the murderous Apaches and the old-time outlaws, the Salt River and its tributary, Tonto Creek, emerge from a frowning canyon. Here 2,000 men are at work on the great Tonto dam. This huge structure will rise 284 feet above the



PROSPEROUS SCENES IN TEMPE, ONE OF THE OUTLYING TOWNS NEAR PHOENIX.

foundation, and 220 feet above the river level. Eight hundred feet wide at the top or curb, it will form a giant wedge connecting the towering canyon walls, and become, as the engineer's report states, as immovable and everlasting as the adjoining rock.

It will create a lake, backing the water up the Salt River 14 or 15 miles and 10 miles up the Tonto. When the reservoir is completed the water will flow in the river channel for 44 miles, and then be diverted by means of canals to the irrigable lands surround-

will be developed for use by the residents of the lands irrigated in the Valley below from the reservoir, for pumping water for irrigation and other purposes. The work on this stupendous government structure is being pushed forward with all practicable haste. It is believed that in less than two years from to-day the water from the reservoir will be flowing into the canal of the Salt River Valley. In much less time than that the government will be furnishing electric power for running the pumping plants of the farmers in the valley and furnishing electric power for all the purposes for which power from this source can be used.

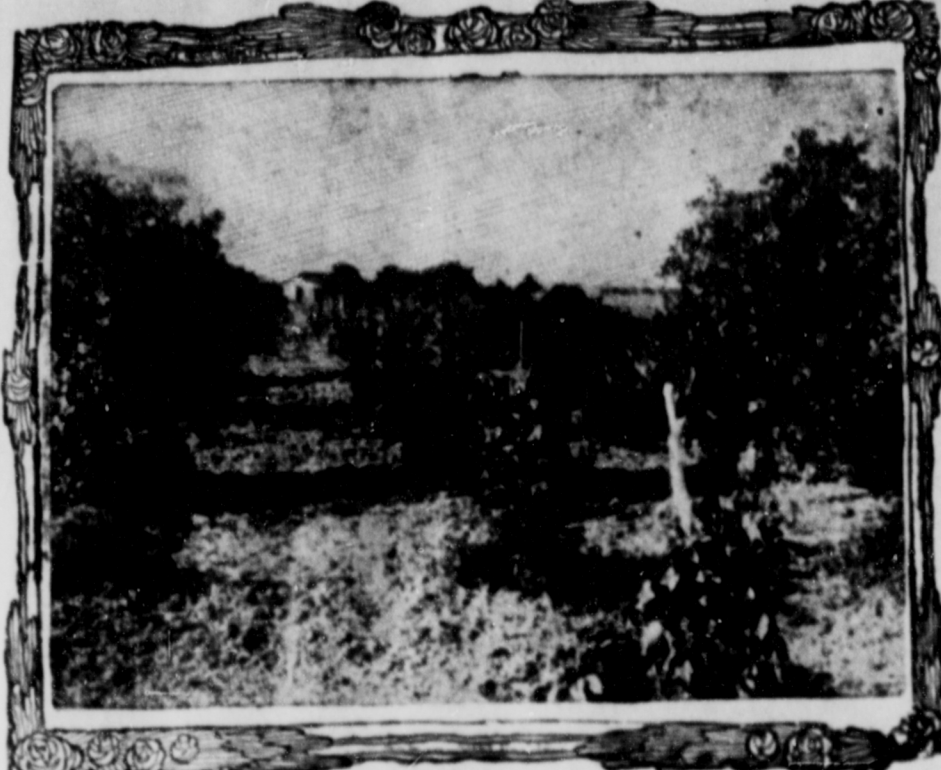
### SMALL GARDEN FARM TRACTS

More than a year ago Mr. Maxwell conceived the idea that the highest and best use to which the lands under this great government irrigation system could be devoted was that they should be subdivided into small tracts for garden farming, berry culture and the growing of small fruits, melons, and other products of intensive cultivation. The raising of poultry in all its branches would of course be one of the most profitable adjuncts of these intensively cultivated garden farms. In the past this character of land culture has not been practicable in the Salt River Valley because of the fact that at the season of the year when the water was most needed, there being no reservoir, the river was at its lowest stage, and the supply of water the shortest. All this will be changed by the construction of the Tonto Basin Reservoir.

Believing that the first practical demonstration of the profits to be derived from garden farms of this class should be so organized as to embody

cularly adapted to the culture of the crops which yield the highest acreage profit with intensive cultivation.

Second, a water right in the oldest and best canal system in the Valley, which will be added to by a water right in the Tonto Basin Reservoir from the national government, and still further supplemented by a right in the co-operative water company that will own and operate the pumping plant.



GRAPES AND ORANGES, ONE MILE OUT OF PHOENIX.

So that by no human possibility can the occupant of one of these garden farms fail to have an abundant water supply whenever needed and to whatever extent the water may be required.

The Salt River Valley is in the central part of Arizona and the summer climate is of course hot; but with such and as that embraced in the tract referred to, with the ample and unfailing supply of water for its cultivation, the summer heat and long growing season, make it possible to practically engage in hot house culture out of doors, and to mature crops so rapidly that four or five or even more of some crops a year may be produced from the same land. This makes possible a profit per acre from truck gardening and berry culture and the raising of small fruits, combined with poultry raising on the same place, that will yield a profit per acre wholly unobtainable in a more rigorous climate.

The miners and great mining camps of the Southwest furnish an unsurpassed market for all the products of such garden farms as those proposed on this tract of land.

### A THRIVING LITTLE CITY.

The City of Phoenix, on the outskirts of which this land is located, is the capital of Arizona and is a city of twelve to fifteen thousand people, with excellent schools, churches and all commercial facilities. One finds in this southwestern city, and on the surrounding farms, men from all sections of the country, New England, the South, the Mississippi Valley and the Northwest. There is a public school immediately adjoining the Rural Settlements Tract above described, and it will be the aim of the Association to co-operate to make this a model school. A beet sugar factory is the most recent addition to the industries of the Valley.

The land here described, which is designated as the Rural Settlements Tract, has been subdivided into five acre plots, and these will be sold only to those who are already skilled in truck gardening, berry and small fruit culture and poultry raising, because it is planned to make this initial colony a demonstration of the possibilities of the Salt River Valley for this class of agriculture, and it is desired that the demonstration should be made by those who know how. Sales will not be made to parties who do not wish to actually live on the land, or do not know how to cultivate it. The Association proposes to co-operate with the purchasers to insure the success of the latter, and for that reason is offering the land to the kind of customers desired at a price so low that it is a chance rarely found by anyone who understands intensive cultivation of a small tract of land and wants such a home. Including the water rights in the canal system and the pumping plant, the land will be sold in five acre tracts for only \$150 an acre in cash.

Anyone who may desire further particulars as to this land or any information as to the Homecroft Movement is cordially invited to address George H. Maxwell, 1405 Fisher Building, Chicago.

Mr. Maxwell is the Executive Chairman of The National Irrigation Association and the Executive Chairman and General Counsel of the Rural Settlements Association, and the Dean of the Homecrofters' Guild of the Talsman and is devoting himself to carrying out through these three associations the three great ideas which are set forth at the beginning of this article.

His success in the National Irriga-

ness men especially of every town and village in the country. It will be a demonstration and a working model for the subdivision of land now held in large tracts near every town or village into small Garden Homes where the prosperity of the many who will intensively cultivate such small garden farms will contribute to the volume of trade and prosperity of the merchants of the town and vic-

large its Social Circle and add to the charm of its social life. One quarter section of land thus subdivided will add thirty-two families to the community and correspondingly increase the trade of the town.

This movement for the building of Homecrofters or small garden homes in the outskirts of existing towns or villages or in the suburbs of the cities is a logical enlargement of the central idea around which the National Irrigation Movement was organized. That idea was that the greater the number of such small garden farms the greater the general prosperity and stability of the country. The success of the Homecroft Village near Phoenix will lead to its duplication in the neighborhood of many other cities and towns throughout the country.

All inquiries or communications as to the lands or matters above referred to, should be addressed to

GEORGE H. MAXWELL,  
Executive Chairman and General Counsel,  
Rural Settlements Association, 1405  
Fisher Building, Chicago, Ill.

### Extracts From Telegrams and Letters

TO GEORGE H. MAXWELL,  
Executive Chairman The National Irrigation Association, following the Passage of the National Irrigation Act.

"Southern California extends hearty congratulations and pledges continued support until work of National Irrigation Association is accomplished. As the leader in one of the greatest successful fights ever made on behalf of the people, you deserve the highest honors that can be conferred upon you, but your work is not completed until the provisions of the Irrigation bill are administered and fully safeguarded."

C. B. BOOTH,  
Chairman Southern California Section,  
The National Irrigation Association.

HOW ONIONS GROW IN THE WARM SOUTHWEST.

GOVERNMENT POWER AND IRRIGATION CANAL OF THE SALT RIVER.

"The Sterling Chamber of Commerce extends hearty congratulations and best wishes upon passage of Irrigation bill by Congress. Accept our thanks for your great service to the west."

R. R. GREER,  
President,  
C. B. GODDARD,  
Secretary Sterling Chamber of Commerce.

"I have kept close track of the House and Senate's action on the Irrigation bill and congratulate you most heartily upon the splendid success of the work you have put in on that. It is certainly very gratifying."

CHARLES A. MOORE,  
President American Protective Tariff League.

"To you, more than anyone else, is due the honor and the glory of this achievement. It will, I am sure, send your name down to future generations as really the author of a most beneficent measure. I cannot express to you my delight on receiving the news that the bill had gone through the House with so large a majority."

PARIS GIBSON,  
United States Senator for Montana.

"Accept hearty congratulations over the victory won in the passage of the Irrigation Bill by the House of Representatives yesterday, which assures its enactment into a law. To your magnificent generalship and indomitable energy and ceaseless, persistent labor is due the glorious victory which means a new empire annexed to the United States of far greater value than our island possessions. Future generations born in the happy homes your efforts have made possible will rise up to bless and honor your name and memory."

E. J. YOKAM,  
Secretary Highland Orange Growers' Association.

"I do not hesitate to express my conviction that the National Irrigation Act would not have been passed and that the national government would not have inaugurated the national irrigation policy if it had not been for your personal work of organization and the great campaign of education which you personally originated and have so successfully carried forward. In saying this I fully recognize and accord to others who have co-operated with you the credit which is due to them for the great results which have been attained."

E. P. RIPLEY,  
President The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway System.

"Congratulations. I sincerely believe without George H. Maxwell, we would have had no irrigation legislation."

W. M. WOOLDRIDGE,  
President Montana Agricultural Association.

"We congratulate you on the passage of the National Irrigation Bill. May your success continue."

FRANK WIGGIN,  
Secretary Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce.



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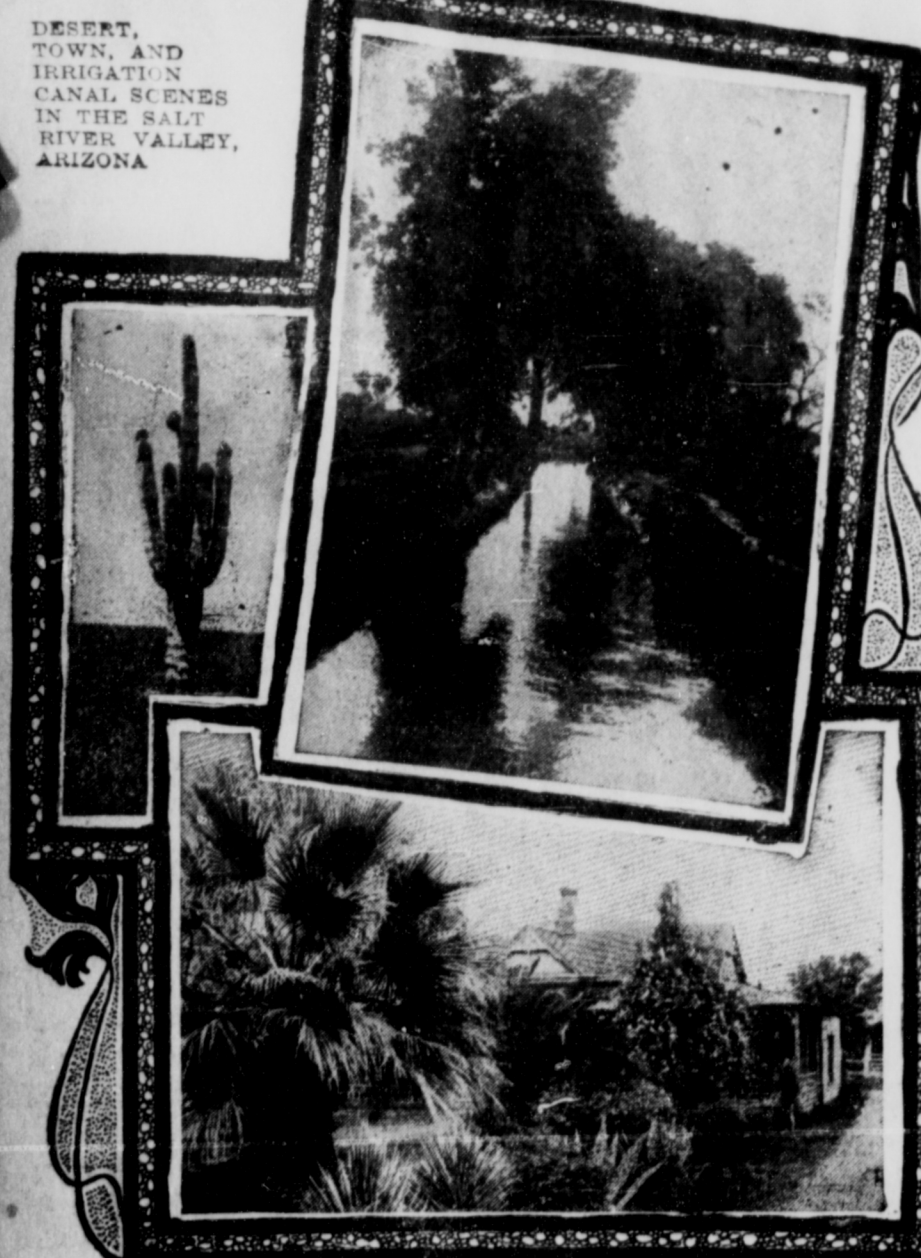
tion Movement is demonstrated by the following extracts from letters and telegrams sent to him after the passage of the National Irrigation Act.

### OF GENERAL INTEREST.

The plans for the building of this Homecrofters' Village near Phoenix is one that should interest the busi-

ing Phoenix. This lake will hold 15 times as much as the 8 million dollar Croton reservoir, which has just been constructed to supply New York City with water, and it will hold more than the great Assouan dam across the Nile. Many of the day laborers on this work are Apache Indians, now peaceful remnants of Geronimo's wild band.

A Power Canal has been taken out above the reservoir which will carry the water around the mountain side above the level of this artificial lake, to a point just below the dam, where it will be dropped over in a waterfall 200 feet to the power house. In this way, and by other drops which will be placed in the river and canal system, twenty thousand horse power



Maxwell was and is still the active, moving spirit, and those who avail themselves of the opportunities he is laboring to create for men of moderate means to get homes on the land will secure the benefit of his wide experience, extending over more than fifteen years during which time he has given the closest study to every element necessary to the success of the man who makes a home on irrigated land.

### GREAT IRRIGATION DAM.

After the passage of the National Irrigation Act, Mr. Maxwell spent several months in the Salt River Valley aiding in the work of organizing the land owners of that Valley into an



## LOYALTY ENCAMPMENT OF KENTUCKY BAPTISTS

In Session this Week at Owensboro, Ky.,  
Under the Auspices of the Baptist  
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### PROGRAMME.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1.

#### CONQUEST DAY.

7:00 a. m. Morning Devotions.  
9:00 a. m. Opening of Encampment  
President B. A. Dawes.  
9:30 a. m. Loyalty to our State  
J. G. Bow, D. D.  
Prof. W. O. Carver.  
10:30 a. m. Loyalty to our Country  
B. D. Gray, D. D.

11:15 a. m. Loyalty to the World  
R. J. Willingham, D. D.

2:30 p. m. Special Music by the  
Orchestra

3:00 p. m. Lecture "Acres of Diamonds"  
Russell H. Conwell, D. D.

7:30 p. m. Band Concert  
Rogers Band

8:00 p. m. Oriental Demonstration  
Florence Ben Ollie

THURSDAY, AUG. 2.

#### EDUCATION DAY.

7:00 a. m. Morning Devotions

9:00 a. m. Loyalty to the "Old  
Kentucky Home"  
B. B. Bailey, D. D.

9:45 a. m. Loyalty to Christian  
Education  
J. J. Taylor, D. D.

President Georgetown College

10:30 a. m. Loyalty to the Seminary  
E. Y. Mullins, D. D., President

South Baptist Theological Seminary

11:15 a. m. Loyalty to Christian  
Literature  
J. N. Prestridge, D. D.

2:30 p. m. Special Music by the  
Orchestra

3:00 p. m. Lecture  
Russell H. Conwell, D. D.

7:30 p. m. Band Concert  
Rogers Band

8:00 p. m. Oriental Entertainment  
Florence Ben Ollie

FRIDAY, AUG. 3.

#### CONVENTION DAY.

7:00 a. m. Morning Devotions

9:00 a. m. Service of Song

9:30 a. m. Loyalty to our King  
E. C. Dargan, D. D.

10:15 a. m. Loyalty to our Church  
T. T. Eaton, D. D.

11:00 a. m. Loyalty to our Union  
J. H. Chandler, President

Baptists Young People's Association  
of Louisville

11:30 a. m. Brief addresses by Local  
Presidents and others

12:00 m. Business Session—Annual  
Election of Officers

2:30 p. m. Special Music by the  
Orchestra

3:00 p. m. Lecture by  
A. C. Dixon, D. D.

7:30 p. m. Band Concert

8:00 p. m. Ross Crane—Cartoonist

SATURDAY, AUG. 4.

#### BIBLE DAY.

7:00 a. m. Morning Devotions

9:00 a. m. Loyalty to the Bible  
E. Y. Mullins, D. D.

9:45 a. m. A Loyal Laity and the  
Sunday School  
J. M. Frost, D. D.

10:15 a. m. Loyalty in reaching the  
Unidentified  
Field Secretary, R. M. Inlhw

11:00 a. m. Loyalty to the teaching  
Function  
W. J. McGlothlin, D. D.

1 The aim of Sunday school  
teaching

Music

2 The principles of Sunday  
school teaching

1:30 p. m. The Adult department

## For that Dandruff

There is one thing that will  
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2:30 p. m. Special Music

3:00 p. m. Lecture by  
A. C. Dixon, D. D.

7:30 p. m. Band Concert

8:00 p. m. Ross Crane—Cartoonist

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**YR**  
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### Reflection.

A glittering mirror, a polished bar,  
Myriad glasses, straws in a jar,  
A kind young man all dressed in  
white  
Are my recollections of last night.

A sidewalk narrow, far too long,  
A sloppy gutter, a policeman strong,  
The slamming door of a jolting  
hack,  
Are my recollections of coming  
back

The steps were slippery and hard to  
climb.

Best often and lots of time,  
An awkward keyhole, a misplaced  
chair.

Informed the folks that I was there.

A heated interior, an aching head,  
A seasick man and a revolving  
bed.

Cocktails, fizzes, drinks galore.

I emptied them all on the bedroom  
floor.

And in the morning came bags of  
ice.

So necessary in the life of vice,  
And when the ice had eased the  
pain

Did I swear off? NOPE, GOT DRUNK  
AGAIN!

### A Healing Gospel.

The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of  
Sharon Baptist church, Bellair, Ga.,  
says of Electric Bitters: "It's a god-  
send to mankind; it cured me of lame  
back, stiff joints, and complete physical  
collapse. I was so weak it took  
me an hour to walk half a mile. Two  
bottles of Electric Bitters have made  
me so strong I have walked 3 miles  
in fifty minutes. It's made a new  
man of me." Greatest remedy for  
weakness and all stomach, liver and  
kidney diseases. Sold under guaran-  
tee at Woods & Orme's.

Judge Gordon will give \$50 in  
special premiums in a colt show on  
the closing day of the great Hopkins  
county fair.—Hustler.

### Summer Diarrhoea in Children.

During the hot weather of the  
summer months the first unnatural  
looseness of a child's bowels should  
have immediate attention to check  
the disease before it becomes serious.

All that is necessary is a few doses  
of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and  
Diarrhoea Remedy, followed by a dose  
of castor oil to cleanse the system.

Rev. M. O. Stockland, Pastor of the  
first M. E. church, Little Falls,  
Minn., writes: "We have used Cham-  
berlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea  
Remedy for several years, and find it  
a very valuable remedy, especially  
for summer disorders in children."

Sold by Woods & Orme, the leading  
drug store in Evansville.

### Pearls from the Wabash.

Vincennes, Ind., July 27.—Preci-  
ous stones to the value of \$20,000  
were purchased here by Morris Bro-  
wer, an importer of American pearls  
with headquarters in New York city.

This is the largest transaction that  
has been made in Vincennes since  
the pearl industry was established.  
Among the numerous pearls that were  
purchased by Mr. Brower were ten  
especially handsome and large ones.  
For one of the ten he paid \$2,500.  
The importer has been in the Wabash  
pearl field for a week, and in that  
time has bought \$40,000 worth of  
gems. He is buying up all of the  
larger and better stones that he can,  
and will place them in the European  
markets.

Mr. Brower is said to be the largest  
pearl buyer in the United States and  
was the owner of the \$250,000 necklace  
that attracted much attention at the  
St. Louis World's Fair. The local  
dealers made big profits on the  
stones.

### Given Up to Die

R. Spiegle, 1204 N. Virginia St.  
Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over  
five years I was troubled with kidney  
and bladder affections which caused  
me much pain and worry. I lost  
flesh and was all run down, and one  
year ago had to abandon work entire-  
ly. I had three of the best physi-  
cians, who done me no good and I  
was practically given up to die. Fo-  
ley's Kidney cure was recommended  
and the first bottle gave me great re-  
lief. After taking the second bottle  
I was entirely cured."

### Struck it Rich.

Louisville capitalists have struck it  
rich in Crittenden by a lucky find of  
lead and zinc ore. Experts were at  
work prospecting for fluor spar when  
at the depth of 30 feet they unex-  
pectedly uncovered a rich vein of  
zinc and lead ore. The mines are  
located near Crittenden Springs, Ky.  
and near the old Eclipse mines, that  
are among the richest lead and zinc  
mines in the country.—Evansville  
Courier.

### Don't Grumble

When your joints ache and you suffer  
from Rheumatism. Buy a bottle of  
Ballard's Snow Liniment and get  
instant relief. A positive cure for  
rheumatism, burns, cuts, contracted  
muscles, sore chest, etc. Mr. I. T.  
Bogey, a prominent merchant of Wil-  
low Point, Texas, says that he finds  
Ballard's Snow Liniment the best all  
round liniment ever discovered. At  
Woods & Orme's.

### Chased by a Panther.

Fort Worth, Tex., July 24.—A  
young son of Bud Mayes, of Burnet,  
was playing near the house when it  
was attacked by a panther. His sis-  
ter, not much older, ran to his assis-  
tance, and the panther backed off a  
short distance. But when she pick-  
ed the boy up and ran for home the  
panther followed at her heels, trying  
to snatch the child out of her arms.  
She finally reached the house in safety.  
The panther made the neigh-  
borhood hideous with its screams for  
a while, but finally returned to the  
adjacent mountains.

### Frightfully Burned.

Charles W. Moore, a machinist of  
Ford City, Pa., had his hand fright-  
fully burned in an electrical furnace.  
He applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve  
with the usual result, "a quick and  
perfect cure." Greatest healer on  
earth for burns, wounds, sores, ecze-  
ma and piles. 25c. at the drugstore  
of Woods & Orme.

### Burglary at Providence.

Hustler: The dry goods store of  
Martin & Woodson, at Providence,  
was broken into Friday night and  
looted. The amount of the loss has  
not been ascertained, as the store  
was kept closed all Saturday morning  
awaiting the arrival of a bloodhound  
from this city. It is thought that  
the loss is considerable, as the store  
is badly torn up.

The burglars gained an entrance  
through a window at the rear of the  
store. The work was done during  
the severe thunderstorm which served  
as a protection.

As soon as the burglary was dis-  
covered the authorities in this city  
were communicated with and officer  
Barton left at 8:30 o'clock with a  
patrol.

## Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

has stood the test 25 years. Average Annual Sales over One and a Half Million  
bottles. Does this record of merit appeal to you? No Cure, No Pay.  
Enclosed with every bottle is a Ten Cent package of Grove's Black Root Liver Pills.

Walter DeMent, the hay baler has  
been making some records on the  
Judge J. F. Gordon farm, the past  
week. On Thursday he baled 30,-  
000 pounds. In three days he baled  
75,000 pounds. 65,000 bales were  
baled at one setting. There yet re-  
mains, approximately 75,000 pounds  
to be baled.—Hustler.

## You Look Yellow

The trouble is, your liver's  
sick. One of its products,  
"bile," is overflowing into  
your blood.

You can't digest your food,  
your appetite is poor, you  
suffer dreadfully from head-  
ache, stomach ache, dizzi-  
ness, malaria, constipation,  
etc. What you need is not a  
dose of salts, cathartic water  
or pills—but a liver tonic

## Thedford's Black-Draught

This great medicine acts gently on  
the sick liver. It purifies the blood,  
renews the appetite, feeds the nerves,  
clears the brain and cures consti-  
pation.  
It is a true medicine for sick liver  
and kidneys, and regulates all the  
digestive functions. Try it.  
At all dealers in medicines in  
25c packages.

### MARKET REPORT.

Reported by the Louisville Live  
Stock Exchange, Bourbon Stock  
Yards.

#### CATTLE.

Extra good export steers	\$4 75-5 00
Light shipping steers	4 50-4 75
Choice butcher steers	4 25-4 65
Common to medium	3 25-3 75
Choice butcher heifers	4 00-4 25
Fair to good	3 25-3 75
Common to medium	2 50-3 00
Choice butcher cows	3 25-3 75
Common to medium	2 00-2 50
Good to extra stock steers	3 50-4 00
Good to extra bulls	2 75-3 25
Choice veal calves	5 50-5 75
Common to medium	3 00-4 00
Coarse heavy	2 50-3 00
Choice milk cows	35 00-40 00
Medium to good	20 00-30 00
Plain common	10 00-17 50

#### HOGS.

Choice pack. & butchers	6 65
Medium packers	6 70
Light shippers	6 75
Choice pigs	6 65
Light pigs	5 00
Roughs	3 50-6 00

#### SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Good to choice fat sheep	3 75-4 00
Fair to good	3 00-3 50
Common sheep	2 50-3 00
Bucks	2 00-2 50
Choice shipping lambs	7 00-7 40
Seconds	5 00-5 25
Good butcher	4 00-4 50
Cull and tail-ends	5 00-6 00
Choice native stock ewes	4 40-4 75
Good plain ewes	3 75-4 25

#### GRAIN.

WHEAT—	
No. 2 red and longberry	\$0 75
No. 3 red and longberry	73

CORN—	
No. 2 white	57 1/2
No. 2 mixed	56

OATS—	
No. 3 white(new)	37 1/2
No. 2 mixed(new)	37

#### MARKET BASKET.

BUTTER—Packing 12c per lb.;  
good country 12 1/2-13c; Elgin 21c in  
60-lb. tums. 22 1/2c in 30 lb. tums; El-  
gin lb. prints 22 1/2c  
POULTRY—Hens 10c per lb.; roosters  
5c per lb.; spring chickens 12c; ducks  
old 8c, young 10c; turkeys 8c.  
EGGS—12-13c. case count; hand-  
led 14c.

## The Crittenden Press

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Western Kentucky

## To Prospective Subscribers

For over Twenty-Seven Years the old  
Crittenden Press has been a welcome visitor  
to the homes of Crittenden county, in fact it has  
become a part of the family. Those who have  
been on our books all these long twenty-seven  
years, say "it gets better each year; like wine  
it improves with age," which is the best ad-  
vertisement we can offer, except the Twelve  
Pages crowded with news of Home, Farm,  
Neighborhood, Local, General, Deaths, Births  
and Marriages it conveys to you each week.

## We Reach the People

To Advertisers: The best and surest way  
to reach the homes of Crittenden county is  
through the Crittenden Press which visits  
them each week, and is read from the oldest  
to the youngest member of the family. Others  
have succeeded through its columns, why not  
you?

Sample Copies Sent Free to any address  
on request.

## Our Job Department

Is equipped with the latest improved machin-  
ery; our type faces the latest, and every job  
we turn out is neatly executed, and first-class.

## We Print Everything

From a Visiting Card to a Full Sheet Poster  
and print it right. If you want Note Heads,  
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lars, Wedding Invitations, Reception Cards,  
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points are permitted on both the go-  
ing and return trip. We can give  
you the lowest rate to any point you  
wish to go. Inquire of local agent  
or address H. C. Webb, C. P. & T.  
A., 126 Main St., Evansville, Ind.

### Make Hay While the Sun Shines.

There is a lesson in the work of  
the thrifty farmer. He knows that  
the bright sunshine may last but a  
day and he prepares for the showers  
which are so liable to follow. So it  
should be with every household. Dy-  
sentery, diarrhoea and cholera morbus  
may attack some member of the home  
without warning. Chamberlain's  
Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy,  
which is the best known remedy for  
these diseases, should always be at  
hand, as immediate treatment is nec-  
essary and delay may prove fatal. For  
sale by Woods & Orme.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Service s  
every Sunday morning and evening  
conducted by Rev. J. H. Butler.

Prayer meeting every Thursday  
evening at 8 o'clock.

Sunday School every Sunday at  
9:30 a. m. J. P. PIERCE, Supt.









# WE'LL NOT CARRY THEM OVER!

While we admit that we bought too heavy, at the same time we do not intend to carry over any goods to next season. Cut Prices coupled with the best seasonable Merchandise is the lever we shall use to move these goods quickly.

## Ready to Wear Clothing

\$12.50 Outing Suits	\$ 7.75
7.50 " "	5.00
1800 Three Piece Suits	14.00
15 and \$16 3-piece Suits	12.50
1250 Three Piece Suits	8.50
1000 " "	7.50
8 and \$9 Three Piece Suits	6.00

And the same knife went through our line of Boys and Young Mens Suits and Extra Pants

Look at these Prices and then come and see the goods.

We'll Save You Money on each Article You Buy See Us.

## Slippers and Oxfords

Reduced Prices all the way through. No old stock in the line, all are new and up-to-date. Don't fail to see them if you want a bargain.

IF YOU WANT THE BEST  
**50c Shirt Made**  
..... SEE OUR LINE

Laces Embroider's Curtains Lawns Dimities Batistes Organdies and Mulls at Special Prices

## Every Walk in Life is Made Easy

By placing your into a pair of W. L. Douglas Shoes for Men or Duttenhofers for Ladies.

## "Lion Brand" Shirts and Collars

Have won their reputation upon merits. TRY THEM YOU'LL SEE THE REASON

NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS AND A PLEASURE TO PLEASE

# TAYLOR & CANNAN

Masonic Temple



F. W. Nunn, dentist, suite 3 and 4 Press Building.

Souvenir Post Cards at Haynes & Taylor.

Miss Mabel Guess is the guest of Jettie Nichols in Lisman.

Haynes & Taylors for school books and big tablets.

Johnson Crider spent Sunday in Cerulean Springs.

Woods & Orme headquarters for school books.

Mrs. A. H. Cardin, of View, was in the city Saturday.

Car load of Lime just received at Cochran & Pickens.

Sale agency for Chase & Sanborn's coffees and teas at Morris & Yates.

W. A. Oliver of Frances was in the city Saturday on business.

School books, tablets, pencils, pens and ink. Haynes & Taylor's.

E. H. Holtsclaw, of Wheatcroft, spent Sunday with his family here.

\$3.85 will buy a barrel of flour at Hicklin Bros.

Miss Mabel Nunn, of Rodney, is the guest of Miss Mildren Rankin.

Orange ice, delicious and refreshing, at Haynes & Taylor's.

Miss Mabel Guess visited Miss Ruth Dodds in Crider last week.

Woods & Orme headquarters for school books.

Burns & McConnell, at the Palace barber shop, give first-class baths, hot or cold.

Mrs. Zola White, of Blackford, was the guest of friends here this week.

Woods & Orme have tablets, pencils, ink, muelage and all school requisites.

P. W. Luther and wife, of Columbus, Ohio, are guests at the Crittenden Springs Hotel.

Woods & Orme have tablets, pencils, ink, muelage and all school requisites.

Mrs. S. M. Jenkins and daughter are spending the week at Crittenden Springs.

Smooth shave and clean towel on hand at Metz & Sedberry's. Electric massage, hot and cold baths.

FOR SALE:—10 head young mules in good order. Some broken to work, some not bridle wise.

F. W. Nunn, dentist, suite 3 and 4, Press Building.

Morganfield and Marion Flour at 50c per sack at Hicklin Bros.

John Yandell, of Frances, was in town last week on business.

For a nice shine try Dugan Ramage at Burns & McConnell's shop.

Miss Grace Ainsworth visited her sister, Mrs. Harry Hale, last week.

See our 10 cent ching, it is nice. Hicklin Bros.

Mrs. Maggie Coon, of the Frances community, was in town shopping last week.

Nunn & Tucker have hammocks, settees, lawn chairs, swings and other summer comfortables.

Chester Sigler, of Morganfield, was the guest of Maurice Sutherland last week.

Harry Watkins, of Mayfield, arrived in the city Thursday on a business trip.

Sofas, divans, tete-a-tetes, rockers and chairs of all styles and prices at Nunn & Tuckers.

Mrs. Gus Summerville and son, Frank, were in the city Thursday on a shopping expedition.

Dr. R. J. Morris has returned from Philadelphia where he took a post graduate course.

Go to Nunn & Tucker for house furnishings. They are the leaders in styles and have the largest stock.

Mrs. G. W. Stone was the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. T. Reid last Wednesday.

Misses Blanche Haase and Kitty Gray are spending several days at Cerulean Springs.

Miss Edna Roberts returned from Anniston, Mo. Monday where she visited relatives for several days.

Mrs. Thos. Champion and son, Charles, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Champion at Hampton last week.

Miss Elsie White of Tolu was the guest of Miss Subie Murphy, at her country home near Marion last week.

Mrs. Jesse Olive and daughter, Nellie, of Eddyville, arrived in the city Thursday to visit Mrs. Jane Walker.

Miss Dorothy Inez Price who attended Bob Taylor's lecture at Morganfield last Wednesday night returned home Thursday.

Woods & Orme have the largest stock and lowest prices on tablets, school books and everything in the way of school supplies. Don't forget the place—Woods & Orme.

Mrs. B. Hunter, mother of Mrs. E. J. Hayward, has returned from a visit to her son, Stephen Hunter, in St. Louis. He accompanied her here and left Friday night for his home.

F. W. Nunn, dentist, suite 3 and 4, Press Building.

20 All Steel hay rakes at \$13.50. Cochran & Pickens.

Give us a call when you need a tablet. Fohs.

Forest Harris, of Tolu, was in the city Tuesday.

Corydon bread the housewife's joy. Morris & Yates.

Miss Katie Carter, of Levias, was here Tuesday.

A tablet and pencil for 5c at the 5 & 10c store. Fohs.

Miss Beulah and Vera Conyer are visiting in Memphis, Tenn.

Chase & Sanborn's world famous coffee on sale at Morris & Yates.

Mr. John Baker, of Anniston, Mo., is visiting in the city and county.

Corydon bread received fresh from the Bakery daily at Morris & Yates.

Mrs. Mary Fleming, of Salem, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ellen Croft.

Lemons 25c per dozen at Morris & Yates and everything seasonable and cheap.

Eugene Gullett, of Elizabethtown, Ill., passed through the city Tuesday enroute to Dawson.

Miss Sallie Bond, of Princeton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Gus Taylor, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Durham, of Nebo, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Durham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry V. Stone are the proud parents of a fine boy who arrived at their home Monday night.

Miss Nelle Williams returned to her home in Providence Monday after visiting her sister Mrs. S. Gugenheim.

Mrs. Taylor visited her daughters, Mrs. Hardwick, of Charleston, Mo., and Mrs. Davis, of Mayfield, last week.

B. W. Belt and family, of Lola, passed through the city Monday enroute to Dawson to remain the balance of the summer.

George Witherspoon, of Conroe, Texas, is expected in the city next week to be the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. W. Wilson.

Manning Towery was in the city Wednesday. He will leave Bowling Green for New Castle, Pa. where he has secured a fine position.

Dudley Noggle, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Noggle, entertained some of his little friends Wednesday evening from 6 to 8.

All those interested in the Chapel Hill graveyard are requested to meet there next Saturday, the 4th, for the purpose of cleaning up the place.

Baby chairs and buggies at Nunn & Tucker's.

20 All Steel hay rakes at \$13.50. Cochran & Pickens.

Be happy, use Corydon Bread. Morris & Yates.

We have a complete line of stationery, tablets and pencils. Fohs.

A. M. Witherspoon and wife, of Fulton, are expected here next week to visit relatives.

Capt. Haase, wife and daughter, Miss Blanche, and Miss Kittie Gray went to Cerulean Springs last Friday.

Misses Jessie Glenn and Lillian Gresham of Eddyville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McConnell this week.

H. C. Moore was elected Tax Collector of the city of Hopkinsville last week to take the place of Gus Tandy, deceased.

Mrs. Rose Mayes, of Caldwell Springs, was here Saturday the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sam Hughes and brother, J. F. Flannery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Watt Lamb, Sam Gugenheim, R. D. Drescher, Will McElroy left Wednesday for Dawson Springs to spend a few days.

Mrs. Wm. Barnett and daughters, Misses Katie and Esther, of Tolu, were in the city Tuesday, enroute to Dawson to spend a few days.

E. H. Holtsclaw is working now for the West Kentucky Coal Co., at Wheatcroft. He is assisting in building a lot of mineas rridences.

Mrs. Ellen Croft and her daughters, Misses Willie, Jessie and Ruth, have returned from a visit to Mrs. James Farris and Mrs. Mary Fleming at Salem.

Have you tried Corydon bakery bread? It's no sweat shop stuff, but pure and clean. Try it and our word for it you'll always use it. Morris & Yates.

Mrs. R. C. Walker and daughter Evalyn, of Grand Junction, Colo., arrived Monday evening and are the guests of Mrs. Jane Walker on north Main street.

Missionary meeting and children's rally at Deer creek church third Sunday in August. All day service. Dinner on the ground; everybody welcome.

Mrs. M. C. Cone and her son, Mr. Chas. Duvall, of Curve, Tenn., were in the city Saturday, en route home, after a month's visit among relatives in the country.

Louis Jeffreys and sister of Union county, and Mrs. Mary Towery of Providence, were the guests of J. W. Jeffreys in the Iron Hill section last week, returning home Saturday.

18 pounds of sugar at Hicklin Bros. for \$1.00.

Buy your tablets and pencils at the 5 & 10c store. Fohs.

Mrs. Welsford White, of Helena, Ark., and her two children arrived last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Woods.

David Driskill who has been here for the past week visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Driskill, left yesterday for San Francisco, California to reside.

Our stock of glassware, queensware and tinware is the largest and best selected line in this market and prices are right. Give us a call. Morris & Yates.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Orme left Tuesday for Louisville, where they will spend a few days. From there they will go to Atlantic City, New Jersey, stopping at Washington, Baltimore and other points of interest.

There will be an ice cream supper at the Crittenden Springs Saturday night. Good music on hand by the Garnett string band. Come one, come all. A good time assured. Walter Salyers, John Franks, Nathan Thurman, Managers.

IRON HILL.

Mrs. Elizabeth Henderson visited her nieces, Misses Sallie Wood and Mrs. Kemp near here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Travis, from near Gladstone, spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Rose Stewart, last week.

Owen Fox has completed his tour of Texas and Oklahoma, and landed at home last week.

Geo. D. Kemp and family visited Dr. W. C. Kemp, at Luzon, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Fox visited their son at Providence Saturday and Sunday.

An ice cream supper was greatly relished at John Stewart's Saturday night.

Henry Simpson and wife and Martin Sutton and wife visited relatives and friends in Webster county Saturday and Sunday.

Dave Woods has forsaken the low grounds of Missouri and returned to his first love, the hills of Crittenden.

H. N. Lamb has been improving his residence.

Mrs. Cora Thomas, of Marion, is visiting relatives in this section.

Mrs. Dan Brown, whose father was the late Martin Joyce, is dangerously ill and her recovery is doubtful.

Cleud Drennan, returned from Missouri accompanied by Mrs. Hallie Baker, formerly of this community.

King & Doyle Mine Running

Teams can now get coal regularly at this mine near Rosebud.

FRANK VICK, Lesse, Blackford, Ky.

Fine Seed Wheat.

I have 100 bushels of "Kentucky Wonder" seed Wheat that I will sell in quantities to suit purchaser. This wheat has been grown in this state but two years and is the best seed wheat on the market.

B. F. WALKER, Marion, Ky.

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## KING EDWARD ASKS TO MEET MR. BRYAN

Arkansas Introduces Members of the Inter-Parliamentary Union.

London, England, July 26.—Wilfrid Jennings Bryan, who was introduced by Ambassador Reid, was received in private audience by King Edward at Buckingham palace today. The visit was paid at the special request of the king. His majesty having notified Mr. Reid that he desired to meet Mr. Bryan. The interview was quite informal and was marked by the pleasing cordiality which the king is accustomed to show Americans in whom he is interested.

Only the king, Mr. Reid and Mr. Bryan were present. The conversation turned largely on the subject of peace, and the conference of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, with the objects of which the king showed himself thoroughly in accord. Subsequently the king received some eighty members of the Inter-Parliamentary Union in the throne room. Congressmen Richard Bartholdt, of Missouri, T. E. Burton, of Ohio, and Rockwell Hoar, of Massachusetts, representing the American group. Mr. Bryan accompanied his compatriots at this function, which was somewhat in the nature of a levee. King Edward, who wore plain clothes, stood in front of the throne while the visitors filed past. As each person was introduced the king shook hands with him making occasional brief remarks to the most prominent members of the party.

### Luckiest Man In Arkansas.

"I am the luckiest man in Arkansas," writes H. L. Stanley of Bruno, "since the restoration of my wife's health after five years of continuous coughing and bleeding of the lungs, and I owe my good fortune to the world's greatest medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which I know by experience will cure consumption if taken in time. My wife improved with first bottle, and twelve bottles completed the cure. Cures the worst coughs or colds, or money refunded. At Woods & Ormes drug store. Price 50c. and \$1. trial bottle free.

### Marches 250 Miles.

Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, July 26.—After an eleven days' journey overland through Illinois and Indiana, the Fourteenth and Twenty-first batteries of field artillery, commanded by Capt. L. G. Berry, of the Twenty-first, arrived at Fort Harrison from Fort Sheridan this afternoon. Capt. Berry succeeded to the command when Major Charles C. Treat became ill at Lafayette and had to go to a private hospital. The length of the march was 250 miles. General Carter did not reach camp today as was expected.

### Don't Be Blue

And lose all interest when help is within reach. Herbine will make that liver perform its duties properly. J. B. Vaughn, Elba, Alabama, writes: Being a constant sufferer from constipation and a disordered liver, I have found Herbine to be the best medicine for these troubles on the market. I have used it constantly. I believe it to be the best medicine of the kind and I wish all sufferers from these troubles to know the good Herbine has done me. At Woods & Ormes's.

### Shooting of Son Kills Father.

Knoxville, Tenn., July 26.—Judge J. C. Parker, an eminent lawyer of Helenwood, Scott county, Tenn., and for many years prominent in Republican politics, is dead at his home. One month ago his youngest son, Sam P. Parker, was shot down on the streets by Judge J. E. Fulton for an unknown cause and the father, who was slightly indisposed, grew worse until the end came.

For Barbed and Smooth  
**YR** SEE HINA & COX.

## Hump Back

SCOTT'S EMULSION won't make a hump back straight, neither will it make a short leg long, but it feeds soft bone and heals diseased bone and is among the few genuine means of recovery in rickets and bone consumption.

## A NOTED HABEAS CORPUS CASE

A Unique Incident in the History of Crittenden County Jurisprudence.

### SUIT OF MOSS VS. MOSS.

On February 5th, 1906, Alta Moss filed suit against her husband, Will Moss, for divorce, alimony, maintenance, during the pendency of the action, and for the care, custody and raising of their child, Jessie Moss. It was alleged in the petition among other things, that prior to the marriage of the plaintiff, that she was a female under twenty-one years old, and that the defendant had taken advantage of her and seduced her under promise of marriage, and in order to avoid a criminal prosecution had married the plaintiff and then left her on the next day after the marriage never having lived with her after that time.

At the March term of the Crittenden circuit court upon motion made by plaintiff's attorney, she was allowed \$12.50 per month by Judge Gordon in the way of maintenance during the pendency of the action, and the defendant was served with a rule requiring him to pay said sum, which he refused to do. At the June term of said court an attachment was awarded against the defendant requiring him to show cause why he had not complied with the order of court in the payment of said maintenance, he was brought into court and failing to show any sufficient reason why he had not complied with the order, and the evidence being heard, he was fined fifty dollars and thirty days in jail. Was put in jail to serve out said fine, when he employed counsel and sued out a writ of habeas corpus before Judge Walker, which was later dismissed by his attorneys. He thereafter sued out another writ of habeas corpus before Judge Blackburn, insisting that Judge Gordon's order of commitment was illegal; after hearing all the authorities and arguments of counsel, Judge Blackburn decided that he was not illegally held, but that Judge Gordon's order of commitment was legal, and that it must be complied with by the jailer, who was directed to return the defendant to jail to serve out the balance of his time. In rendering his opinion Judge Blackburn showed himself to be well versed in the law of the case.

After Moss had been returned to jail he readily agreed to pay all the maintenance that had been adjudged against him together with the cost of the action; also obligated himself to take the plaintiff and their child and provide for them and treat them as a husband should. After having done this and paid the maintenance and costs, Judge Gordon consented that he might be released as he had fully purged himself of contempt.

The plaintiff, Alta Moss, was represented by A. C. Moore and the defendant by L. H. James and Judge James A. Moore. Nearly the whole day was consumed in the argument of the case. We are informed that the parties are now living happily together.

### Farm for Sale.

145 acres, 80 or 85 cleared, balance in timber. Good orchard; all kinds of fruit; plenty of good stock water, convenient to church and school; on proposed rural route; good house and barn, on public road, 1 1/2 miles south of Hurricane church, for further particulars see,

H. B. PHILLIPS, Tolu, Ky.

## THROWN HIGH IN AIR BY PASSING TRAIN

Two Boys Came Near Being Killed at Morganfield Monday.

Two Oakley Boys, of the Boxville neighborhood, came very near being killed at Morganfield Monday morning by the Southbound mail train. Their escape is considered next to miraculous by those who witnessed the thrilling wreck.

The boys had come in from the country after a load of merchandise, for a country store and were unaccustomed to the time of train arrivals. They were driving a rather slow team and when they had just gotten on the track the train dashed upon them unawares, and came near hurling them into eternity without warning. The wagon was struck center by the fast moving train, and was literally torn into splinters. The boys at the moment the wagon was struck were sitting at different ends of the wagon and when the vehicle was hit it was out square in twain, throwing the frightened boys high in the air, one going one way and the other going headlong in the opposite direction. The team was completely stripped of their harness but fortunately neither of the horses were injured. The various articles with which the wagon was loaded were thrown in as many directions as there were pieces. Barrels of various size rolled in front of the engine, boxes were scattered, tobacco, cigars and candy, and all kinds of country merchandise was promiscuously scattered to the four winds.

Those who witnessed the tragic sight ran to the assistance of the frightened boys, and it was soon discovered that they were not killed, and what was more strange, they were not even fatally wounded, however one of them is in rather a serious condition at present, while the other is practically uninjured.—Uniontown Telegram.

### The Yellow Fever Germ.

Has been discovered. It bears a close resemblance to the malarial germ. To free the system from disease germs the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills, guaranteed to cure all diseases due to malarial poison and constipation. 25c at Woods & Ormes's.

### To Have a Sky-Scraper.

Paducah, Ky., July 26.—The First National Bank today closed a deal buying property at Third and Broadway, now occupied by the bank and will immediately put up a ten story steel office building. Paducah's first skyscraper. The consideration is not made known, but this is one of the most valuable pieces of property in the city. It was owned by Phil Johnson and Dr. W. V. Owen.

## Nervous Worn-Out

If you are in this condition, your nerve force is weak—the power is giving out, the organs of your body have "slowed up," and do their work imperfectly. This failure to do the work required, clogs the system and brings distress and disease. When the nerves are weak the heart is unable to force the life-giving blood through your veins; the stomach fails to digest food; the kidneys lack power to filter impurities from the blood, and the poisonous waste remains in the system to breed disease. Nerve energy must be restored. Dr. Miles' Nerve will do it, because it strengthens the nerves; it is a nerve medicine and tonic, that rebuilds the entire nervous system.

"Several years ago I was all broken down. I was nervous, worn-out, could not sleep, and was in constant pain. I doctored for months, and finally the doctor said he could do nothing for me. I began taking Dr. Miles' Nerve, and used altogether eight bottles, and I became strong and healthy, and now weigh 170 pounds."

H. C. CUNNINGHAM, 108 Ellsworth Ave., Allegheny, Pa. Dr. Miles' Nerve is sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. If it fails, he will refund your money. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

# Ice Factory Started!

It is with pleasure we announce to the citizens of Marion and vicinity that our Ice Plant has been started after many delays and hindrances. We have faith in Marion, this being our second attempt to locate with you, and at last, we take pleasure in stating that your town can boast of a modern, up-to-date Ice Plant, which is built and equipped throughout with the latest improved machinery money and experience can purchase.

We have every reason to expect, by furnishing high grade ice and prompt service, a liberal patronage and loyal support to your new industry. Our plant will produce twice or three times the ice consumed in your city. So we expect to pull hard for outside trade, which will bring to Marion trade and money.

**Our Wagons will Be on Hand with Ice August 1st, and your patronage will be Highly Appreciated.**

We will supply patrons with Red Signal Cards to be hung out at front door in the morning so driver will know you want ice.

Price in 100 pound lots, 40c. Less than 100 pound lots one-half cent per pound.

Calls by phone will receive prompt attention. Phone 300

Very Respectfully,

**Marion Ice & Storage Co.**

By C. W. METCALF, General Manager.

### Will be Ready in August.

Chicago, July 27.—By the last of August the Chicago Subway Company will be handling freight to and from practically all the railroad terminals of Chicago. Work on the bore is being pushed day and night and added impetus having been given by the teamster's strike.

A remarkable record in tunnel construction has been made in the past two months, more than five miles of underground passages have been finished within that time. The strike began just before the period of unusual anxiety. In the last two months sixty thousand cubic yards of material have been removed. The concrete hauled through the tunnels to finish the new workings amounted to 25,000 cubic yards.

The company now has nearly thirty miles of bore, interlacing the district bounded by Twelfth and Halstead streets, Chicago avenue and the lake. This is being equipped with the trolley wires and laid with heavy rails for the use of the electric road, on which the merchandise will be carried forty feet beneath the level of the city streets.

### Another Good Man Gone Wrong.

He neglected to take Foley's Kidney cure at the first signs of kidney trouble, hoping it would wear away, and he was soon a victim of Bright's Disease. There is danger in delay, but if Foley's Kidney cure is taken, at once the symptoms will disappear, the kidneys are strengthened and you are soon sound and well. A. R. Bass of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night and had a severe backache, and pains in the kidneys, and was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. At Woods & Ormes's.

### I. C. May Build Bridge.

Henderson, Ky., July 26.—The presence of W. J. Harrah, fourth vice president, and H. J. Shoeing, general superintendent of the Illinois Central railroad in this city, gives credence to the rumor that the Illinois Central will construct its own bridge over the Ohio river at the incline three miles above the city. It is claimed that the Louisville and Nashville will refuse passage over their bridge at the expiration of their contract. The Illinois Central's civil engineers have been in the vicinity for the past month. The Illinois Central has just closed a deal for property in Evansville, valued at \$40,000.

Always Remember the Full Name  
**Laxative Bromo Quinine**  
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in Two.

E. H. Brown on Box. 25c.

## Situations Guaranteed.



We do not guarantee situations to prospective students in order to get their patronage. Schools of merit do not resort to such dishonest practices. Face schools "guarantee" situations in order to secure students, because they have no other inducements to offer. Our work is so thorough that a guarantee is superfluous. Business men are so eager to get competent help here that a large per cent. of our students take positions before they graduate. See us before making arrangements for your business and shorthand education at some inferior, fake school. We will take pleasure in telling you all about the loopholes in the "position guarantee" of dishonest schools. Catalogue free.

BRYANT & STRATTON BUSINESS COLLEGE, Louisville, Ky.

### Makes Big Profit.

New York, July 26.—It was learned today that J. W. Bahe & Co., bankers, had purchased the \$5,000,000 of Panama canal bonds which were recently allotted by the Treasury Department to Samuel Byerly, an express company's clerk, of this city.

Bahe & Co. have in turn disposed of the bonds to Fisk & Robinson, who were the successful bidders for the greater portion of the issue. The price of the bonds has already advanced to \$104.40, which means a profit of \$27,024 for the clerk.

In conversation with Secretary Shaw over the long distance telephone Byerly asked if he was to receive his allotment of the bonds. He was told that he would if he deposited the \$5,000,800 by August 1st. The clerk said he would.

### Cures Hay Fever and Summer Cold.

"A J. Nusbaum, Batesville, Ind., writes: 'Last year I suffered for 3 months with a summer cold so distressing that it interfered with my business. I had many of the symptoms of hay fever and a doctor's prescription did not fit my case, and I took several medicines which seemed to only aggravate my case. Fortunately I insisted upon having Foley's Honey of Tar, and it quickly cured me. My wife has since used Foley's Honey and Tar with success. Woods & Ormes's.'

### For Sale.

A splendid farm near Crayneville, Ky., containing about 70 acres; also about 20 acres of fine growing corn and about 10 acres of fine tobacco, and a good dwelling house in Crayneville. A special bargain will be given to those desiring to buy. Call on or address, Geo. M. Taber, Crayneville, Ky.

### Marion Marble Works.

Why will people go elsewhere to buy tombstones and monuments when they can save money by buying at home, and at the same time you will be encouraging home industry and thus be patronizing those who patronize you. We handle nothing but first class material and a high grade of workmanship is our speciality. HENRY & HENRY.

## WHITE'S Cream Vermifuge



THE GUARANTEED WORM REMEDY  
THE CHILDREN'S FAVORITE TONIC.  
BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.  
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## DYCSBURG.

An enjoyable entertainment was given in the Hall on the night of the 1st by Misses Lily and Maymie Graves for the benefit of the M. E. church.

An ice cream supper will be given on the Methodist church grounds on the night of the 4th for the benefit of the new Methodist church.

Mrs. Alice Crouch, of Paducah is the guest of Mrs. P. K. Cooksey and other friends here.

Miss Ada Dyeus returned from a visit to Paducah recently.

Mr. J. P. Brissett and family spent Sunday with the family of Edgie Gregory.

Mr. W. E. Charles and family were called last week to the bedside of his father, Aaron Charles of Tyline, who is very low.

Mesdames Ida Yancey and Carrie Bradley are the guests of Mrs. Lula Mabry, of Wheatcroft.

Mrs. W. E. Graves returned from Louisville last week where she spent several days.

Mrs. Jane Cochran has returned home from Murray.

Mrs. Callie Humphreys of Mexico is among her friends in Dycesburg this week.

Miss Maymie Graves and brother Hugh spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Shelby, of Salem.

Dr. Willie Graves and son Emmett of Paducah, were here recently, the guests of Miss Cora Graves.

J. R. Wells and family of Livingston, visited relatives in this place last week.

Miss Nell Clifton of Marion, is visiting her friends here this week.

Mrs. Margaret Clifton, after spending several weeks with relatives here has returned to Marion.

Mrs. Grace Pruett and children of Malden, Mo., visited Miss Cora Graves recently.

Mrs. Lucy Yates and Miss Maymie Graves visited Mrs. Hattie Loyd of Princeton last week.

The ice cream supper given at the church on the 21st was a success, although the weather was very inclement. We realized a neat little sum.

Miss Maymie Steele is the guest of relatives at Grand Rivers.

Miss Edmonia Bennett of Paducah is the guest of Miss Lucy Gregory.

Messrs. Jim and Clyde Boaz, of Salem visited Dycesburg one day last week.

Mrs. Mary Langston has just returned from a visit to Dawson.

Mr. Fred Ramage and family and Mr. Ed. Ramage and Mrs. Henry Mitchell, attended the Ramage reunion at Kuttawa springs Sunday.

Mesdames Ruth Duvall, Rosa Simmons, Sue Ramage and Mr. Cleve Martin, are on the sick list at this writing, but none are now dangerously ill.

Mrs. J. R. McKinney and little son are the guests of her father's family at Oklahoma this week.

For Barbed and Smooth  
**YR**  
SEE HINA & COX.

## NEW SALEM.

Wheat threshed.

Good rain Saturday night.

Will Watson is a very sick man.

Dr. Ratcliff, boss at the Eclipse mines, was a pleasant caller here Sunday.

Dave Woodford of Salem was in our section Sunday.

Harris Austin went to Goleconda Sunday.

We had a lot of mineral men from Louisville looking over our mineral lands last week.

Farmers breaking wheat lands.

Some farmers selling their wheat and some holding for better prices.

Wm. Binkney of Pineknayville, was the guest of Harris Austin's family last week.

Clay hauling from the Stevens mines commenced again last week.

Barry Davidson has moved on the farm of W. C. Toner.

## THE MAN WHO WINS

Is the one who believes in an education and the benefits to be derived from it. It quickens the perception, ennobles the mind, and furnishes the information and skill for success and fortune.

A business education is useful; therefore, it is a practical education. Every business concern wants competent office help; you must educate for business.

Banks, railroads, manufacturing establishments, wholesale and retail stores of all kinds, constantly apply to us for bookkeepers, salesmen and stenographers. The wages are good and promotion is certain. Positions for honest, industrious and capable graduates.

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• Fall term begins September 3rd. Send for catalogue. LOCKYEAR'S BUSINESS COLLEGE, Evansville, Ind.

## SHADY GROVE.

Road working is the order of the day.

According to what our Stringtown correspondent says John Dasty and John Becky will be hauling tobacco in a few days; they should come down and be convinced we are raising tobacco in this section.

John Woods went to Tiline Monday.

Henry McDowell of Henderson, who has been visiting here, returned home Tuesday.

Geo. Spence and Tom Wanless, of Providence, were here Tuesday.

William Green of Carltown, was here Wednesday.

John L. Gardner, of Piney, was here Tuesday.

Sylvester Travis, of Blackford, was here Friday.

Dr. McConnell and Warner Boyd went to Marion Wednesday.

Clarence Crittenden went to Providence Thursday.

Floyd McConnell went to Marion Monday.

W. H. Towery returned home from Evansville Monday.

Ed. Coleman is on the sick list.

Hodge Mayes went to Cresswell Monday on business.

W. F. Brown, of Piney was here Monday.

J. D. Elder and wife are spending this week at Dawson.

Dr. Dixon, of Providence, was here Monday.

Dr. Hardin of Marion was here Friday.

O. F. Towery went to Blackford Saturday.

John Melton went to Blackford Friday.

Roy Towery went to Princeton on Wednesday.

## RODNEY.

Crops are looking fine in this section.

Mr. Eli Nunn was in Sturgis Friday.

We are having a few days of road working.

R. L. Phillips, Arthur Hazel and Otis Phillips are working with the telephone gang between Rosebud and Mattoon.

There has been a protracted meeting in progress at Rosebud eight or ten days and there is not much interest in the meeting.

Protracted meeting will begin at Baker the third Sunday in September.

Mt. Zion graveyard will be cleaned off on the 11th Aug.

Meeting will begin at Bells Mines the third Sunday in August.

Chester Truitt has returned from Missouri and the crops there are splendid.

Miss Hallie Anderson of Weston, has been visiting at D. Kirk's two weeks and also attending the meeting at Rosebud.

The writer has the pleasure of attending church every night; so good bye.

## Children in Pain

Never cry as do children who are suffering from hunger. Such is the cause of all baby's who cry, and are treated for sickness, when they really are suffering from hunger. This is caused from their food not being assimilated but devoured by worms. A few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge will cause them to cease crying and begin to thrive at once; give it a trial. At Woods & Orme's.

## BELLVILLE BEND.

The series of meetings that have been on at this place for the past week closed Sunday night.

## Don't Borrow Those Tools Again!

We will fit you out with a full set of good tools, four of them and a pencil, as follows:

Saturday Only---Saturday, Aug. 4, 1906



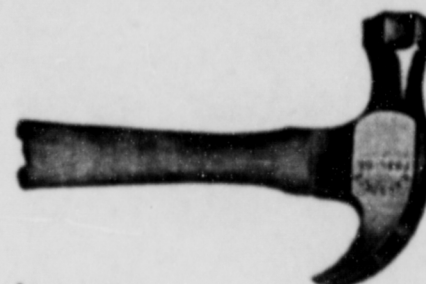
One 26-inch Hand Saw.



One Stanley 2-ft. Folding Pocket Rule



One Complete Pocket Kit of Ten Tools and Handle.



One Full-size Hammer, 1 lb Polished Head and Handle.

One E. C. Simmons' Carpenter Pencil

**\$1.50 All Five for the Price \$1.50 of a Saw alone**

We have a limited number, and they will go like hot cakes. If you use tools at all, don't miss this chance. Come in and see for yourself.

**COCHRAN & PICKENS,**  
MARION, KENTUCKY.

Lennoth Lemon and Lee Morse, of Iron Hill, attended church here Sunday.

Several from here went to Providence Sunday to see the Providence and Wheatcroft base ball teams cross-bats.

Mrs. Rebecca Travis and children Minnie and Otis, and Miss Effie Brown, May and Margaret Wood, will leave Tuesday morning for Madisonville to attend the fair.

Misses Ellen Dever, Maud Davis and John Horning from the Dalton country, attended meeting here Sunday.

Mr. Henry McDowell of Henderson, is visiting friends in this section.

Everett Givens and Miss Dixie Sisk attended church here Sunday.

Miss May Wood, who has been visiting her sister, in Hopkins county, returned home last week.

## Why Fret and Worry

When your child has a severe cold? You need not fear pneumonia or other pulmonary diseases. Keep supplied with Ballard's Horehound Syrup, a positive cure for colds, coughs, whooping cough and bronchitis. Mrs. Hall of Sioux Falls, S. D., writes: "I have used your wonderful Ballard's Horehound Syrup on my children for five years. Its results have been wonderful." For sale by Woods & Orme.

## FARMERSVILLE.

Miss Aldora Cartwright of Eddyville, was visiting relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ervin visited her parents this week.

Albert Jones and wife of Princeton, are the guests of friends and relatives here.

T. R. McNeely has been very sick but is better at this writing.

Protracted meeting began here last Saturday.

McLose Oliver is all smiles, a new farmer at his house.

Alvader Sigler's baby, which has been suffering with a bad case of flux is better.

Rev. Hodge Gregston, of Morganfield, visited his mother in this place Friday.

Miss Annie O'Brian of Louisville, visited her niece, Mrs. Fannie Brown last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fox and little granddaughter of Iron Hill, visited their daughter, Mrs. C. C. Walker of this place recently.

Milton Walker and sister of Iron Hill visited relatives here and attended the show at Princeton last week.

## How to Avoid Appendicitis.

Most victims of appendicitis are those who are habitually constipated. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures all chronic constipation by stimulating the liver and bowels and restores the natural action of the bowels. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is mild and pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Woods & Orme's.

## SEVEN SPRINGS.

Hill Polk, of Emmaus, was through this section last week.

We report on the sick list Harry Greenleaf, Andy Crouch and Mose L. Patton.

Health and happiness are sure stepping stones to success.

T. J. Wring, the hustling sewing machine agent was through this section last week, accompanied by his wife and made Mose L. Patton and wife a pleasant visit. Call again Mr. Wring and wife; the latchstring always hangs on the outside to you both.

The corn crop is fine in this section.

A fine crop of blackberries have been harvested in this neighborhood.

Spring chickens have brought a good price.

Several from here attended the ice cream supper at Dycesburg Saturday night.

Ibarn Bell was a guest of Burnie Patton Sunday.

John Campbell and wife visited relatives near Tyners Chapel recently.

Mr. Owen Boaz and wife of Salem visited relatives and friends in this community last week.

If a man wants to prosper in this world he must be honest, conscientious and possess self control and will power.

The boys in this section were called out to work the road in this precinct last week with John Campbell as their overseer.

God never calls on a person to do what he can not do, so let us all be up and doing for the night cometh when no man can work.

Miss Daisy Hall, of this place visited Miss Lillian Decker, at Tyline, last week.